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ANNUAL REPORT 

OF THE

❧ Town of Berlin, N. H. ❧

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15TH, 1896.

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• Town of Berlin, N. H. •

— BY THE —

Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Overseer of the Poor,
Highway Agent, Board of Health, Library Trustees,
Librarian, Police Judge, Town Clerk, Board of
Education and Auditors.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15TH, 1896.

BERLIN, N. H.
INDEPENDENT STEAM PRINT.
1896.

TOWN OFFICERS.

SELECTMEN,

HERMAN E. OLESON,

AUGUSTIN N. GILBERT,

JOHN W. GREENLAW.

CLERK,

EDWARD C. NILES.

TREASURER,

JOSEPH A. LETOURNEAU.

BOARD OF HEALTH,

C. H. BOWKER, M. D.

COLLECTOR,

CYRUS L. DOE.

ROAD COMMISSIONER.

JOSEPH F. BELL,

POLICE COURT JUDGE,

GEORGE F. RICH.

POLICEMEN,

JOSEPH LAMBERT, CHIEF,

JOHN YOUNGCLISS,

BOARD OF EDUCATION,

F. D. BARTLETT,

MRS. HERBERT J. BROWN,

EDWARD C. NILES.

OVERSEER OF POOR,

A. B. FORBUSH.

TOWN OFFICERS.

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

GEORGE A. PORTER.

CAPTAIN OF HOSE COMPANIES,

Co. No. 1, FRED R. OLESON,

Co. No. 2, WILLIAM P. STUDD,

Co. No. 3, GEORGE E. KENT.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES,

H. W. WHITTEMORE,

H. J. BROWN,

H. W. JOHNSON.

INTRODUCTION.

To the taxpayers and voters of the town of Berlin:—

In presenting to you our second annual report for the fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1896, it is gratifying to be able to state that for the year just closed, as well as for the previous year of our administration, we have succeeded in keeping the expenditures below the appropriations, thus showing a decrease in the debt of the town of \$4,699.84 for the year 1895. To which add a decrease of \$7,037.85 for the year 1894 and we show a total decrease of \$11,737.69 during the two years in which we have held office.

The amount of money paid out for fire purposes has been quite heavy. This was unavoidable, owing to the forest fires which occurred on the east side of the Androscoggin river, and which had to be fought so persistently, night and day, with a large increase of help over the regular staff of the fire department. We would recommend a more liberal appropriation of money for the fire department.

We would call your attention to the necessity of raising money for and building an extension of Hillside avenue across "Dead river" and over the Grand Trunk Railroad, connecting with Second avenue on the west-erly side of said railroad. (The decision of the Railroad Commissioners granting permission to build a level crossing over the Grand Trunk Railroad was not received in time to commence work last fall).

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We would further recommend that an appropriation be made for a highway to be laid out on the easterly side of the Androscoggin river, so as to connect the bridge on Mason street, leading to the Boston & Maine railroad station with the bridge crossing the river at or near S. E. Paine's residence

We respectfully call your attention to the necessity of providing a better and more substantial sidewalk on the westerly side of Main street between the store of C. S. Clarke and C. C. Gerrish & Co.

With pleasure we refer to the improvement made and convenience to the public in removing the ledge from and leveling off Post Office square. Also the great benefit derived from the erection of a substantial drinking fountain thereon, for public use. We would recommend that a drinking tub be put in at or near Berlin Mills store, another at some suitable place on the highway leading to Milan, also one on the highway leading to Gorham, all for public purpose.

During the year there has been laid 1359 feet of new sewer, thoroughly piped, as follows: 334 ft. on Mechanic St., 350 ft. up Hillside avenue, 175 ft. from Main road to river by Cross' machine shop, 250 ft. on Church St. and 250 ft. on High St.

In new streets, two have been built during the year, one called "Norman" in Berlin Mills district, the other (unnamed) running south by the M. E. church from Mt. Forist street. An extension of Willard street from Emery to Hillside avenue, has also been completed. We wish to state here, for the purpose of acquainting the public and for the benefit of the incoming board,

that they have no idea of the numerous appeals made by property holders for new streets and extension of streets to convene their several wants, some of whom think that the only action necessary to be taken is, to simply ask the selectmen to give them what they want and the same can be granted without further consideration. All of which is wrong, as nothing, whatever, in this line can be accomplished except by a legal petition to the selectmen, then to be followed by a legal hearing, etc., thereon. We hope, however, that in the near future, more new streets and extension of streets for the benefit of all concerned may be provided. We also wish to remind the public that the board of selectmen have no authority or control over any elective officer. The want of such knowledge has at times, caused the board much unnecessary trouble accompanied with no small degree of needless censure.

In electric lights, eight new ones have been put in for street lighting, in compliance with public needs.

In sidewalk improvements we are able to report that over 1100 yards of new concrete sidewalk has been laid, one half the cost being borne by property owners, front of whose residences and stores it has been completed, including the Grand Trunk Railway Co., where extensive blasting and removing of rocks had to be done before a suitable walk could be made to their passenger station.

We invite a careful perusal of the reports of all the town officers, especially the treasurer's to be found elsewhere. We most heartily approve the various commendable suggestions and recommendations. Particularly do we call attention to the police justice's detailed


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report, which must satisfy the mind of every candid, unprejudiced citizen, that a large amount of work, in the way of liquor prosecutions, fines and commitments has been accomplished. Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN E. OLESON,	}	Selectmen of Berlin.
A. N. GILBERT,		
JOHN W. GREENLAW,		

WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

 *To the Inhabitants of the town of Berlin
qualified to vote in town affair:*

You are hereby notified to meet at Whitney Opera house in said town on the second Tuesday of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects :

I. To choose by ballot and major vote a town clerk.

II. To choose by ballot and major vote three selectmen.

III. To chose by ballot and major vote a town treasurer.

IV. To choose by ballot and major vote overseer of the poor, health officers, and firewards.

V. To choose by ballot and major vote one or more constables, one or more collectors of taxes, surveyors of highways, fence viewers, sealers of weights and measures, pound keepers, measures of wood, surveyors of lumber, one library trustee for three years, and such other officers and agents as the town may judge necessary to be chosen.

VI. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools.

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VII. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for repairing highways.

VIII. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for laying out and constructing highways.

IX. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for other necessary town charges.

X. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for new sidewalks.

XI. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for sanitary purposes and construction of new sewers.

XII. To see what sum of money the town will appropriate for fire purposes.

XIII. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of its public library.

XIV. To see if the town will vote to appoint a liquor agent for 1896.

XV. To see if the town will vote to raise the highway at the foot of Glen Pitch Hill, so called, and raise money for the same.

XVI. To see what sum of money the town will appropriate for Decoration Day.

XVII. To see if the town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with approval of the selectmen, to hire such sums of money as may be necessary to meet current expenses, in anticipation of taxes.

XVIII. To see if the town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to hire such sums of money as may be needed to meet maturing obligations.

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XIX. To see if the town will vote to place an electric light on First street, Berlin Mills village, near the house of Joseph Fortier; one on Pleasant street, at or near the residence of H. C. Rowell; one on Prospect street, near Hillside avenue; one on Mount Forist street, at or near the house of A. H. Eastman, and appropriate money for the same.

XX. To see if the town will vote to build a suitable hose house for Hose Co. No. 1, at Berlin Mills, and appropriate money for the same.

XXI. To see if the town will vote to increase the salary of the Police Justice.

XXII. To see if the town will vote to build a receiving tomb at Berlin Cemetery and raise money for the same.

XXIII. To see if the town will vote to put in a fire alarm system and raise money for the same.

XXIV. To see if the town will vote to purchase five hundred feet new fire hose and appropriate money for the same.

XXV. To see if the town will vote to build a sidewalk from Main Street through Green street to school house on westerly side of Grand Trunk Railway and appropriate money for the same.

XXVI. To see if the town will vote to discontinue that portion of the highway laid out by F. I. Bean, C. C. Noyes and G. Coffin, Selectmen of Berlin, the 25th day of May, 1867, which is described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the County road leading from Berlin Falls to West Milan at the place where the road branch-

es off to Daniel Green's mill, thence running north twenty degrees, east to a stake twelve rods, then north twenty degrees, east to a stake nine rod; to the line of the Grand Trunk Railway and being across land formerly owned by Daniel Green.

And also that portion of another highway laid out by C. H. Ladd and J. Dresser, Selectmen of Berlin, the 12th day of September, 1885, which is described as follows:

Beginning at a stake in School street, five rods northeast of the house occupied by Isaac Aubin in 1885, thence north sixteen degrees, west over land of H. H. Furbish thirty-four rods, over land of S. D. Green fourteen rods to a stake, thence north eighty-two degrees, west eighteen rods over land of S. D. Green to stake in front of house of John Collins, and which is not included within the limits of a highway laid out by Herman E. Oleson and A. N. Gilbert, Selectmen of Berlin, January 10th and 11th, 1895.

XXVII. To see if the town will vote to place one or more hydrants at or near the machine shop of E. M. Cross, on the Gorham road, and appropriate money for the same.

Given under our hand and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, 1896.

HERMAN E. OLESON,	} Selectmen	
A. N. GILBERT,		of
JOHN W. GREENLAW,		Berlin.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

HERMAN E. OLESON,	} Selectmen
A. N. GILBERT,	
	Berlin.

SELECTMEN'S ESTIMATE.

for the fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1897.

State tax,	\$3,250 00
County tax,	4,635 00
Repairing highways and sidewalks,	3,000 00
Hydrants,	1,840 00
Fire department,	1,500 00
Sanitary purposes,	300 00
Lighting streets,	2,400 00
Public library,	400 00
High school board,	1,000 00
Sinking fund,	3,500 00
New streets,	2,500 00
New sidewalks,	800 00
New sewers,	1,500 00
Official services,	3,500 00
Miscellaneous,	4,000 00
Interest on bonds and notes,	6,500 00
Support of schools,	6,000 00
Decoration day,	50 00
Repairing schoolhouses as per vote of '94 and '95.	2,360 00
Receiving tomb,	600 00
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	\$49,635 00

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—OF THE—

TOWN OF BERLIN, N. H.,

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1896.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

PROPERTY TAXED.

Improved and unimproved lands and buildings,		\$991,200 00
No. of Polls,	1852	185,200 00
No. of Horses,	451	21,876 00
No. of Mules,	1	60 00
No. of Cows,	221	4,538 00
No. of Sheep,	83	188 00
No. of Hogs,	51	325 00
No. of Carriages,	31	1,600 00
Value of stock in banks,		8,900 00
Money on hand and at interest,		2,700 00
Stock in trade,		177,585 00
Mills and Machinery,		506,100 00
		<hr/> \$1 900,272 00

Taxes Assessed and Appropriated.

Support of Schools,	\$6,000 00
Repairing Highways,	3,000 00
New Streets,	1,500 00
Necessary town charges,	4,000 00
Lighting streets,	2,100 00

Sanitary purposes and new sewers,	\$1,800 00
Fire department,	1,000 00
Hydrants,	1,840 00
Public library,	300 00
Decoration Day,	50 00
Sinking fund, bonds and notes,	11,000 00
Repairing school houses,	800 00
County tax,	3,142 38
State tax,	1,875 00
Official services,	3,500 00
New sidewalks,	500 00
New hose,	300 00
New park,	500 00
Police Judge,	300 00
Macadamizing roads,	1,000 00
Glen Pitch Hill,	300 00
One-fifth of school meeting appropriation,	1,560 00
Water fountain,	50 00
Added overlay,	357 46
Total amount committed for collection,	\$46,774 84
Amount assessed for all purposes on \$100,	\$2 46

ORDERS ISSUED BY SELECTMEN ON TOWN
TREASURER FOR FISCAL YEAR
ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1896.

County Poor.

Dr. A. Lavallee, medical attendance	
George Gagne,	\$39 00

C. Brooks, medicine H. Beaulier,	\$4 00
A. B. Forbush, taking Mrs. Desero and family and Thomas Daniels to County farm.	12 45
John Neddo, care of Thomas Daniels,	5 00
George B. Day, 64 meals to tramps,	17 35
T. P. Dustin, milk for Eli King,	99
John Youngcliss, care of Thos. Daniels,	1 25
Joseph Lessard, 1 month's rent Mrs. L. Blanc,	6 25
A. B. Forbush, ticket for Joseph Mil- ler to County farm,	2 10
A. Davidson, 1 month's rent H. A. Hanson,	4 00
Wm. Laundry, 1 month's rent George Gagner,	5 00
E. McC. Macy, 2 weeks rent Mrs. Crafts,	2 50
Dr. Bowker, attending T. Daniels,	1 00
Dr. Bowker, attending Fred Saul,	14 25
1-2 cord wood E. Garard,	2 00
1-2 cord wood J. Sullivan,	2 75
1-2 cord wood Thos. Blair,	2 00
1-2 cord wood Mrs. Soll.	2 00
Ellen Lofgren, care of Johnson chil- dren,	20 00
O. Lambert, 1-2 cord wood Mrs. Sul- livan,	1 88
O. Lambert, 1-2 cord wood Mrs. Saul,	1 88
O. Lambert, goods delivered J. Jaque.	3 01
O. Lambert, rent Mrs. Remond,	8 00
Joseph Lessard, rent Mrs. Blanc,	6 25

C. H. Bowker, medical attendance	
H. Hanson,	\$ 6 00
Joseph Lessard, rent L. Blanc,	6 25
Wm. Laundry, rent George Gagner,	10 00
C. H. Bowker, M. D., medical attendance Mrs. Sullivan,	1 50
C. H. Bowker, M. D., medical attendance Mrs. Sullivan,	47 50
A. B. Forbush, paid for medical attendance Lavasser, J. Corrier, and O. Chateny,	22 00
P. E. Beaudoin, goods delivered J. Sullivan,	1 25
T. Bellongee, rent Mrs. Desirap,	14 25
George Belmare, goods delivered Jos. Neddo,	3 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket Mrs. Magee to P. E. Island,	25 00
Jos. Lessard, rent Mrs. L. Blanc,	6 25
Philbrook & Howe, goods delivered Mrs. Sullivan,	6 19
Philbrook & Howe, goods delivered F. Saul,	11 11
H. E. Oleson, paid for ticket,	15 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket to County farm, J. Wood,	2 10
A. B. Forbush, ticket to County farm, Mrs. Desero,	5 00
Felix Gilmette, moving F. St. Helare,	50
Mrs. Schambier, care Mrs. Corrow,	2 00
A. B. Forbush, paid for Mrs. Corrow,	7 93

A. Lavallee, medical attendance Mrs.	
E. Blair,	\$18 75
L. Flourry, wood for Mrs. Desero,	1 75
A. B. Forbush, Dr. Cattalier order,	7 50
Moses Hodgdon, 4 month's rent Mrs.	
Sullivan,	18 00
F. B. Ordway, milk for Fred Saul,	3 60
P. St. Lawrence, casket for H. Morin,	8 00
P. St. Lawrence, casket for E. Girard,	8 00
P. St. Lawrence, casket for A. Demerse,	8 00
Wm. Demarse, 1 month's rent Mrs.	
Remond,	4 00
O. Lambert, 1 cord wood Mrs. Sul-	
livan,	3 75
Albert Crotto, 1 cord wood Mrs. Blair,	3 00
Albert Crotto, 1-2 cord wood F. St.	
Helaire,	1 50
Wm. Demarse, 1 month's rent Mrs.	
Remond,	4 00
E. McC. Macy, 1 month's rent Mrs.	
Sullivan,	5 00
C. Brooks, 1 month's rent F. Falado,	5 07
Dr. Cattalier, medical attendance L.	
Gerry,	12 75
W. Turgeon, board Edw. Gagnon,	2 00
Jos. Lessard, 1 month's rent Mrs. L.	
Blanc,	6 25
E. McC. Macy, 1 month's rent Mrs.	
Sullivan,	5 00
J. J. Cobb, M. D., medical attendance	
H. Duchaine,	3 00

Wm. Demarse, 1 month's rent Mrs. Raymond,	\$ 4 00
Mrs. Z. Kiely, goods delivered John Talbot,	11 00
P. St. Lawrance, casket for L. Sevois child,	8 00
P. St. Lawrance, casket for J. Goullett's wife,	8 00
Wm. Laundry, 1 month's rent F. Gouthier,	7 50
Jos. Lessard, 1 month's rent Mrs. L. Blanc,	6 25
Stahl Bros., goods delivered Mrs. Sullivan,	3 60
Stahl Bros., goods delivered Mrs. Corrow's children,	3 37
Berlin Mills Co., goods delivered F. St. Clair,	5 00
Berlin Mills Co., goods delivered Mrs. Levasser,	63
Berlin Mills Co., goods delivered F. Gouthier,	15 00
Mrs. Z. Kiely, goods delivered J. Jock,	3 00
B. Brewer, board,	15 75
Twitchell & Holt, 1 3-4 cords wood, Mrs. Sullivan,	8 00
G. Brooks, 1 month's rent Mrs. Lavasser,	4 00
Wm. Laundry, 1 month's rent F. Gouthier,	7 50

E. McC. Macy, 1 month's rent Mrs. Sullivan,	\$ 5 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket Mrs. Gay and children to Canada,	12 00
A. B. Forbush, support Mrs. L. Blair,	14 00
Moses Hodgdon, 2 month's rent Mrs. J. Sullivan,	9 00
Jos. Lessard, rent Mrs. L. Blair,	6 02
Mrs. John Falardo, rent Mrs. Sullivan,	3 00
James Sheridan, 1-2 cord wood,	1 50
A. B. Forbush, sending Jock family to Canada,	11 00
A. B. Forbush, goods for Mrs. McGarth,	14 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket to Canada, Mrs. Kingston,	4 50
J. A. Wagner, goods delivered Mrs. L. McGraw,	6 00
Robert Murphy, moving goods,	2 90
Dr. A. Lavallee, medical attendance Mrs. J. Goulette,	3 00
J. H. Bates, 1-2 month's rent J. Jacque,	3 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket to Canada, L. Dougal,	2 50
C. Brooks, 2 month's rent Mrs. Levasser,	8 00
Moses Hodgdon, 2 month's rent Mrs. Sullivan,	9 00
Elzeor Rauneau, 3 weeks board and care L. Dagul,	15 00
O. Lambert, goods delivered Jos. Jocques,	11 00
P. St. Laurent, casket Albert Dusot,	9 00

P. St. Laurent, casket and robe, Mrs.	
Correa,	\$10 50
Dr. A. Lavallee, medical attendance	
L. Daigle,	9 75
Twitchell & Holt, 1 cord wood Wm.	
Sullivan,	5 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket for Mrs. Sullivan,	14 50
C. Brooks, 2 month's rent J. Corrier,	10 00
H. P. Montgomery, goods delivered	
Mrs. J. Sullivan,	3 60
H. P. Montgomery, goods delivered	
Mrs. Wm. Sullivan,	1 85
E. McC. Macy, rent for Mrs. Sullivan,	5 00
T. E. Malloy, milk for J. McGarth,	4 68
F. M. Lord, rent, Mrs. Sullivan,	3 35
James Sheridan, 1 cord 16 inch wood	
Mrs. J. Sullivan,	5 50
C. Brooks, 1 month's rent John Corrier,	5 00
C. Brooks, rent Mrs. Lavasser,	1 73
C. Brooks, 2 month's rent Sam Odette,	8 00
O. Lambert, goods delivered N. Cal-	
loutte.	7 56
O. Lambert, goods delivered L. Ouil-	
lette,	6 00
O. Lambert, 1-2 cord wood S. Odette,	1 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., 1 bbl. pilot	
bread,	3 43
M. Hodgdon, 2 month's rent Mrs. J.	
Sullivan,	9 00
C. C. Gerrish & Co., goods delivered	
Mrs. J. Sullivan,	7 53

C. C. Gerrish & Co., goods delivered	
Mrs. L. Blois,	\$ 5 00
C. C. Gerrish & Co , goods delivered	
Mrs. Wm. Sullivan,	15 72
Jos. Laundry, care Pierre Sevoir,	6 00
A. Lavallee, M. D., medical attend-	
ance Pierre Sevoir,	11 25
C. Brooks, 1 month's rent John Corrier,	5 00
Stahl Bros., goods delivered Jacque	
family,	16 60
Stahl Bros., goods delivered John	
Sullivan,	10 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket and meals for	
Morris Lee,	2 60
F. A. Colby, M. D., medical attend-	
ance Dion girl,	7 00
Jos. Guay, 1 month's rent Fred Saul,	5 00
Twitchell & Holt, 1 cord wood, Mrs.	
J. Sullivan,	4 00
I. Stearns, goods delivered J. Corrow,	15 40
I. Stearns, 1 month's rent Mrs. Mc-	
Grath,	5 00
I. Stearns, 1 bbl. pilot bread,	3 19
The Stearns & Doe Co., goods deliv-	
ered Mrs. Desero,	6 00
The Stearns & Doe Co., goods deliv-	
ered John Corro,	6 00
Philbrook & Howe, goods delivered	
John Gorman,	7 00
A. Lavallee, M. D., medical attend-	
ance Edw. Stone,	7 50

J. A. Letourneau, Treas., 1 bbl. pilot bread,	\$3 08
A. B. Forbush, ticket to Canada,	15 85
Moses Hodgdon, 2 month's rent Mrs. Sullivan,	9 00
Mrs. Z. Kiely, goods delivered Ed. Stone,	10 01
Mrs. Z. Kiely, goods delivered Mrs. L. Blais,	3 00
Mrs. Z. Kiely, goods delivered N. Cavutte,	6 00
Mrs. Z. Kiely, goods delivered Mrs. Levasser,	6 00
C. Brooks, 2 month's rent John Corrier,	10 00
O. Lambert goods delivered Art. Gagne,	13 62
C. N. Hodgdon, 1-2 cord wood Mrs. Sullivan,	2 50
Dr. F. B. Locke, medical attendance Mrs. Alf. Magnerson,	9 75
Dr. F. B. Locke, 1 abdominal belt,	4 00
Dr. J. D. Holt, medical attendance John Laundry,	12 00
Dr. J. D. Holt, medical attendance John Willett,	27 50
E. Erickson, 1 month's rent to February 6th W. Johnson,	5 25
John Goebel, order of L. Rhoderick, 2 week's board of D. Gunn,	5 00
P. St. Laurant, 1 month's rent A. Gagne,	4 50

D. Lefebvre, goods delivered Mrs. Saul,	\$ 50
D. Lefebvre, goods delivered L. McGrath,	7 00
D. Lefebvre, goods delivered P. Dionne,	9 00
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Town Poor.

C. Brooks, medicine for S. Odette,	\$ 1 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket to Canada, F. St. Helier,	15 80
Philbrook & Howe, groceries Eli Gerard,	6 00
Philbrook & Howe, wood for Mrs. Decker,	2 75
Twitchell & Holt, 1-2 cord wood,	2 75
C. Brooks, rent J. Falardo,	12 00
C. N. Hodgdon, wood for Mrs. Hardy,	4 75
A. Dubriel, board Tonceon children,	8 00
J. R. Horne, rent L. Larane,	4 00
P. Beaudoin, goods delivered S. Odette,	1 50
P. St. Laurent, casket Herman Nelson,	10 50
Alex Dubrille, 4 weeks' board Toillein children,	8 00
C. Brooks, 2 months' rent S. Odette,	8 00
A. Dubrille, 4 weeks' board Toillein children,	8 00
Mrs. Z. Kiely, goods delivered H. Dumar,	3 00
Berlin Mills Co., goods delivered Mrs. Hellum,	26 00

Twitchell & Holt, wood delivered	
John Sullivan,	\$ 5 00
W. Martell, rent H. Douchane,	4 50
C. Brooks, 2 months' rent S. Odette,	8 00
A. Dubrill, 4 weeks' board Touillin	
children,	8 00
J. J. Cobb, medical attendance Carl	
Stenberg,	28 50
Alex Dubril, 4 weeks' board Toullian	
children,	8 00
A. B. Forbush, ticket S. Odette to	
County farm,	5 61
R. Kilpatrick, taking S. Odette to	
County farm,	2 00
Dr. A. Lavallee, medical attendance	
Mrs. Alex Demarse,	19 50
C. Brooks, 1 month's rent S. Odette	
to September 15,	4 00
A. Dubrill, 4 weeks' board Toullien	
children,	8 00
Theo Morin, 1 month's rent to Octob-	
er 10th, F. Dubey,	7 00
A. Dubrill, 4 weeks' board Toullean	
children,	8 00
Twitchell & Holt, 1 cord wood John	
Sullivan,	5 00
Berlin Mills Co., goods delivered	
Carl Stenberg,	17 00
Berlin Mills Co., wood delivered S.	
Odette,	84
C. L. Doe, 2 months' rent Mrs. Gar-	
mo, to September 20th,	10 00

A. B. Forbush, expense to Lancaster, pauper claims,	\$2 75
A. B. Forbush, 1 month's rent Mrs. Garmo, to October 20th,	5 00
T. Walsh, 1 month's rent Mrs. Hardy,	3 50
Theo Morin, 1 month's rent F. Dubey,	7 00
Alex Dubrille, 4 weeks' board Toul- lean children,	8 00
C. C. Gerrish & Co., goods delivered S. Odette,	69 25
C. C. Gerrish & Co., goods delivered N. Garneau,	9 00
A. Dubril, 4 weeks' board Toullien children,	8 00
Jennie M. Gerlinger, care of Mrs. Magnerson,	7 00
C. Brooks, 1 month's rent S. Odette,	4 00
George L. Cote, 2 1-2 days' care Thos. Lawrence,	5 00
Theo Morin, 1 month's rent Frank Dubey,	7 00
A. B. Forbush, 2 months' rent Mrs. Garneau to December 20,	10 00
I. Stearns, 1 month's rent Mrs. Hardy,	5 00
The Stearns & Doe Co, goods deliv- ered C. Stenberg,	9 00
A. Dubrill, care Touellean children,	8 00
A. B. Forbush, 1 month's rent Mrs. Garneau,	5 00
Twitchell & Holt, 1 cord wood S. Odett,	5 50

Twitchell & Holt, 1 cord wood Mrs.	
Garno,	\$ 4 00
C. Brooks, rent S. Odette,	3 00
T. Morin, 1 month's rent F. Dubey,	7 00
Androscoggin Hospital Association,	
25 days' board, nursing and doc-	
toring Jesse Lemere,	37 50
F. B. Locke, M. D., medical attend-	
ance Carl Stenberg,	9 00
Berlin Mills Co., goods delivered	
Carl Stenberg,	3 00
P. St. Lawrence, casket for Carl Sten-	
berg,	10 75
P. St. Lawrence, casket for Jesse	
Lemere,	8 00
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	\$531 25

To the Citizens of Berlin:--

Gentlemen :—At the present time there are more people being helped by the town than at any time during the past year. There are a large number out of employment, while a larger number have become paupers through sickness. The diphtheria and scarlet fever cases have been expensive, especially so where they have been quarantined. You will notice by the foregoing report that the town bill has increased a very little over last year, while the county bill has decreased in a larger proportion. There is an actual decrease over last year in both bills of \$329.71. The reason I assign to this increase in the town bill is that as the town grows older more people are gaining residences each year, thus

making them, when assisted, town paupers instead of county charges.

Of the principal town charges, Sam. Odette was taken again to the County farm last fall, insane. Since then he has left that place and gone into Canada, thus freeing the town from paying his board to the county. His family, a wife and three small children, we are helping to the extent of two dollars a week and paying house rent. The family of Joilets children (orphans), of which there are five, are costing the town two dollars a week, which I consider very reasonable. In the case of Carl Steinberg the doctors' bills represent sickness of four different members of the family, including himself. Two of them were diphtheria cases which were quarantined.

Our town bill must necessarily increase, until it ranks with other towns in the county. As it is at present, our annual expenditure for pauper support is smaller than most towns in the county, half as large as Berlin, and we actually have today, a larger population than any two of them, and have more than double as many poor people as any one of them, and these are the people paupers are made from. I believe, with careful management, the county bill can be kept within a reasonable limit, and the county commissioners will bear me out in the statement that Berlin, with all its foreign laboring population and dull business season, has the best showing for its pauper claims of any town in Coos county. There are no charges for feeding tramps the present year, owing to the dissatisfaction of 1894 in tramp bills, I dreaded to feed them dry crackers and water, rather scanty fair, but I find we have fewer tramps, and thus far, three barrels of crackers have been consumed.

In concluding this report. I would say: I shall be pleased at any time to talk with any who desire any information, or who can furnish any, pertaining to this department. Having taken this office three years ago, when the net pauper bills were in excess of five thousand dollars, I feel interested in seeing it kept about where it is today, and I take this opportunity to thank all those who have so kindly assisted me in various ways. It has been appreciated, and also been a great help to me.

Respectfully submitted.

A. B. FORBUSH, Overseer of Poor.

Police.

James L. Day, night police,	\$3 00
George B. Day, feeding prisoners,	6 50
J. L. Day, tending lockup,	3 00
George B. Day, feeding prisoners,	3 00
J. L. Day, tending lockup, February 18, 22, 23.	3 00
John Neddo, cleaning lockup,	1 50
L. N. Clark, conveying A. McPherson to Lancaster,	10 50
Geo. B. Day, feeding prisoners,	8 50
Twitchell & Holt, wood for lockup,	8 25
Jos. Lambert, feeding prisoners,	2 25
W. A. Boothby, printing,	13 50
H. Moffett, assistance,	1 00
J. Parent, assistance,	1 00
Wm. Reed, assistance,	1 00
Geo. Duke, assistance,	1 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., supplies,	22 31
J. Neddo, cleaning lockup,	1 50

Edw. Lambert, special April 16 and 26,	\$2 00
L. N. Clark, conveying two prisoners to Lancaster,	20 80
P. Walsh, tending lockup,	1 00
F. McHane, tending lockup,	1 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and warrants,	51 00
Oliver Lambert, wood for lockup,	3 81
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	49 00
Jos. Lambert, conveying prisoner to Lancaster,	10 40
J. C. Coffray, special,	3 54
John Neadeau, cleaning lockup,	1 50
H. E. Oleson, complaints and warrants,	13 50
L. D. Brown, special,	2 12
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	7 50
J. A. Lejourneau, Treas., 1 bbl. pilot bread,	3 22
Daley & Goss, legal services,	64 00
M. Christianson, special,	7 00
J. E. Parent, special,	2 25
M. Christianson, special,	75
H. Moffett, special,	2 25
Theodore Penette, special,	1 50
Jos. Lambert, conveying prisoner to Lancaster,	15 30
Edward Lambert, special,	4 50
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants.	4 50
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	4 50
J. E. Parent, special,	1 50

R. P. Marshall, feeding prisoners,	\$1 13
F. N. Wheeler, conveying prisoner to Lancaster,	20 80
R. Kilpatrick, special,	1 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	33 00
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	4 77
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	7 50
A. Higgins, assistance,	2 00
F. N. Wheeler, conveying prisoner to Lancaster,	10 40
J. D. Duke, special,	2 00
John Neadeau, cleaning lockup,	1 50
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	15 00
A. Higgins, assistance,	1 00
E. C. Niles, complaint and warrant,	1 50
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	3 00
J. D. Duke, assistance,	6 00
E. C. Niles, complaint and warrant,	1 50
Ed. Lambert, special,	7 50
R. Kilpatrick, special,	1 00
L. N. Clark, conveying prisoner to Lancaster,	10 40
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	13 50
John King, assistance,	1 00
F. N. Wheeler, conveying prisoners to Lancaster,	39 40
Ed Lambert, special,	5 37
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	27 00

A. Higgins, assistance,	\$ 1 00
F. N. Wheeler, fees Buchanan case,	10 17
F. N. Wheeler, conveying Ola Larsen to Lancaster,	10 40
A. Higgins, 3 1-2 days' special,	3 50
R. Kilpatrick, P. Hogan case,	2 39
A. Higgins, service,	1 50
Stearns & Doe Co., oil for lockup.	2 35
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants	7 50
F. N. Wheeler, conveying prisoner to Lancaster,	10 40
Jos. Lambert, paid witness fees,	7 70
F. Fuller, assistance,	1 00
I. Stearns, oil for lockup,	56
F. N. Wheeler, conveying 4 prisoners to Lancaster,	33 00
Mrs. J. Nedean, cleaning lockup,	1 50
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	19 00
A. Higgins, 2 days special,	2 00
R. Kilpatrick, witness fees.	1 54
A. Higgins, assistance.	1 00
Archille Pelletier, assistance,	1 00
I. G. Marshall, assistance,	5 40
John Nedean, cleaning lockup,	2 00
A. Higgins, 3 days' special,	3 00
J. C. McCaffery, special,	1 00
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	13 50
R. P. Marshall, meals for prisoners,	1 75
Chamberlin & Rich, complaints and warrants,	5 50
B. F. Dean, 2 1-2 cords wood lockup,	12 00

B. F. Dean, 4 months' rent police station,	\$16 00
F. N. Wheeler, conveying prisoner to Lancaster,	10 40
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	4 50
A. Higgins, 1 day special,	1 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and warrants,	33 00
N. Couture, cleaning lockup,	2 00
John Goebel, use of team,	1 00
George B. Day, 35 days police,	70 00
Joseph Lambert, 371 1-2 days police,	725 25
John Youngcliss, 368 3-4 days police,	644 12
James L. Day, 21 days police,	31 50
R. Kilpatrick, 131 1-4 days police,	194 88
A. Lofo, 270 days police,	406 00
A. Page, 1 1-2 days police,	2 25
J. E. Parent, 24 1-2 days police,	36 75

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Liquor Prosecutions.

J. D. Duke, searching,	20 00
J. D. Duke, searching,	6 00
John Potter, assistance,	25 00
A. Higgins, assistance,	3 12
J. B. Noyes, paid out for assistance,	60 00
J. D. Duke, searching,	20 00
J. D. Duke, searching,	42 60
J. Youngcliss, searching,	25 00
R. Kilpatrick, searching,	6 00
J. D. Duke, searching,	50 00
A. Lofo, searching,	8 00

E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	\$43 50
John Youngcliss, assistance,	10 00
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	10 00
J. D. Duke, searching,	25 00
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	22 50
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	10 00
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	16 00
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	10 62
J. Youngcliss, assistance,	10 00
J. D. Duke, searching,	35 00
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	10 50
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	108 00
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	48 00
E. C. Niles, appearance in liquor cases,	27 50
I. G. Marshall, searching,	45 00
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	9 00
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	5 00
J. Youngcliss, assistance,	5 00
J. D. Duke, assistance,	6 00
A. Lofe, assistance,	7 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	31 50
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	6 00
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	5 00
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	15 00
J. D. Duke, assistance,	5 00
J. Youngcliss, assistance,	5 00
A. Higgins, assistance,	15 00
I. G. Marshall, searching,	40 00
Geo. W. Page, paid out,	15 00

R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	\$5 00
J. D. Duke, assistance,	4 00
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	5 00
I. G. Marshall, searching,	26 77
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	6 00
J. Youngcliss, assistance,	5 00
J. E. Parent, assistance,	1 00
F. N. Wheeler, taking prisoners to Lancaster,	20 80
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	5 00
F. A. Colby, analysis of beer and coca wine,	12 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	34 50
A. Lofo, assistance,	3 00
I. G. Marshall, searching,	24 00
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	5 00
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	8 50
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	5 00
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	5 50
J. D. Duke, assistance,	3 40
J. D. Duke, assistance,	12 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	21 00
Joseph Lambert, assistance,	8 00
A. Higgins, assistance,	4 00
I. G. Marshall, searching,	26 00
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	6 50
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	7 00
R. Kilpatrick, assistance,	3 00
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	8 00
J. Youngcliss, assistance,	8 54

J. D. Duke, assistance,	1 00
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	9 00
A. Lofo, assistance,	6 00
H. M. Moffett, assistance,	1 00
I. G. Marshall, searching,	36 00
G. H. Holt, hauling beer from Half Way house,	1 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	27 00
W. O. Cook, assistance,	15 00
J. Youngcliss, assistance,	4 00
A. Lofo, assistance,	4 00
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	6 54
F. N. Wheeler, conveying prisoners to Lancaster,	20 80
I. G. Marshall, searching,	26 25
A. Higgins, assistance,	4 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	19 50
J. Youngcliss, assistance,	1 00
A. Lofo, assistance,	2 00
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	7 00
I. G. Marshall, searching,	16 00
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war- rants,	19 50
A. Higgins, assistance,	1 00
E. C. Niles, complaints and warrants,	24 50
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	5 00
I. G. Marshall, searching,	7 00
I. G. Marshall, expense to Colebrook,	25 00
W. H. Paine, complaints and warrants,	6 00
J. E. Parent, assistance,	1 00

I. G. Marshall, searching,	\$ 13 84
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	4 00
A. Higgins, assistance,	3 00
W. H. Paine, complaint and warrant,	1 50
H. E. Oleson, complaints and war-	
rants,	19 50
Jos. Lambert, assistance,	1 00
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	\$1,489 28

REPORT OF POLICE JUSTICE.

To the Selectmen of Berlin :

I herewith submit the financial report of Berlin Police Court from February 15, 1895, to June 14, 1895.

Received from fines and costs,	\$2,332 26
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Paid officers and witnesses,	\$ 317 71
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Paid town treasurer,	2,014 55
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\$2,332 26

FREMONT D. BARTLETT, Justice and Clerk.

We have examined the accounts of F. D. Bartlett as justice of the police court of Berlin, N. H., from February 15, 1895, to June 14, 1895, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRED N. WHEELER,	} Auditors.
DANIEL J. DALEY,	

Berlin, February 25, 1895.

 GEORGE F. RICH, Justice.

The Justice of the Police Court submits the following report for the year ending January 31, 1896. The figures given below, as to the amount of fines paid to justice, show the amount that I have received since my appointment, June 14th, 1895.

Number of civil cases entered 79; number of complaints entered 548, for the following offenses, for the year ending February 1, 1896, to wit:

* Adultery,	2
Assault and battery,	12
Being drunk,	282
Brawl and tumult,	3
Cruelty to animals,	1
Disorderly conduct on street,	3
Disturbing Lord's day,	1
Disturbing meeting,	1
Embezzlement,	1
Fast driving,	1
Forgery,	2
Fornication,	4
Keeping saloon open after hours,	10
Keeping unlicensed dog,	2
Keeping house of ill fame,	1
Larceny,	8
Maintaining nuisance,	1
Obstructing officer,	2
Open and gross lewdness,	2
Prize fighting,	1
Receiving stolen goods,	6
Robbery,	1
Selling cigarettes to minors,	9

To find sureties of the peace,	3
Violation of liquor law,	194

These complaints were disposed of as follows :

Persons not prosecuted to judgment,	21
Persons tried and acquitted,	32
Persons held to answer to Supreme Court,	27
Persons held to furnish sureties of the peace,	3
Persons discharged on payment of costs,	26
Persons who paid fines,	279
Persons committed to jail for nonpayment of fine,	23
Persons sentenced to jail,	1
Persons who appealed to Supreme Court,	15
Persons released on promise of good behavior,	16
Persons committed to county farm,	1
Amount of fines and costs paid to	
Justice,	\$1,789 30
Amount of fines and costs deposited	
by Justice in town treasury,	1,789 30

GEO. F. RICH, Justice and Clerk.

Berlin, N. H., February 24, 1896.

 Fire Department.

A. N. Cordwell, Secretary No. 3,	
practice and fires,	\$82 00
A. N. Cordwell, wood,	4 00
A. D. Teare, inspecting hydrants,	45 00
F. R. Oleson, Captain No. 1, services,	38 25
James Perry, labor forest fires,	11 58
Walter Hanson, labor forest fires,	2 28
T. H. Madigan, jr., labor forest fires,	18 50
J. McIsaac, labor forest fires,	2 28
H. Derosia, labor forest fires,	2 28
Thos. Collin, labor forest fires,	2 28
Thos. Gorman, labor forest fires,	2 80
W. J. Reagan, labor forest fires,	70
Fred Denish, labor forest fires,	2 80
C. Husk, labor forest fires,	3 60
Thos. Thompson, labor forest fires,	2 28
John Murphy, labor forest fires,	2 00
F. R. Oleson, captain No. 1, labor	
forest fires,	120 00
F. R. Oleson, captain No. 1, practice,	72 00
H. Martinson, secretary No. 2, forest	
fires,	171 75
H. Martinson, practice,	65 50
Fred Lambert, forest fires,	1 00
Geo. Porter, forest fires,	18 50
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3,	
practice,	66 00
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3,	
fire at Gorham,	60 50
Clinton Clark, forest fires,	7 50
Twitchell & Holt, forest fires,	2 50

Glen Mfg. Co., use of steamer forest fires,	\$ 52 50
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3, forest fires,	178 10
J. S. Phipps, collector. 6 months' rent of hydrants to January 1, 1896,	920 00
Twitchell & Holt, hauling steamer forest fire,	4 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., repairs for hose,	15 00
Geo. Kent, repairing hose,	3 00
F. R. Oleson, captain No. 1, fire Burgess mill,	50 75
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3, practice,	36 00
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3, alarm Mason block,	12 00
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3, alarm Glen mill,	12 00
H. Martinson, secretary No. 2, practice and fires,	62 00
James Perry, labor forest fires,	12 50
F. R. Oleson, captain No. 1, services at fires,	42 00
H. C. Oleson, services at fires,	3 00
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3, services at fires,	64 00
H. Martinson, secretary No. 2, services at fires,	53 00
Peder Pederson, secretary No. 1, services at fires,	72 00
B. Garneau, labor Bell fire,	1 00

James Perry, labor Bell fire,	3 00
Geo. Porter, chief,	23 50
Berlin Aqueduct Co., 46 hydrants to July 1, 1896,	920 00
Berlin Aqueduct Co., material and labor,	12 21
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3, services,	151 00
Peder Pederson, secretary No. 1, services,	36 00
W. L. Evans, for hook and ladder company,	50 50
Geo. A. Porter, services as chief,	10 00
A. N. Cordwell, secretary No. 3, services Dean fire,	11 00
H. Martinson, secretary No. 2, ser- vices to date,	115 50
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	\$3,733 44

To the Honorable: the Selectmen of Berlin, N. H:—

I desire to call the attention of the citizens of Berlin to a few much needed reforms to increase the efficiency of our Fire department.

First, one much needed improvement is the widening of the entrance to the house occupied by Hose company No. 2, and the ladder truck. With both trucks on the same floor and only a narrow exit, confusion is sure to occur when both companies arrive at the same time. A wide and easy entrance can be secured at small expense to the town and it ought to be done.

No. 1, Hose (as all know) need and deserve better, quarters for their truck, and accomodation for their men

though, through the kindness and courtesy of the Berlin Mills company, they are not without a home still; The town owes it to these brave Fire laddies that a suitable place be provided for their apparatus and for themselves.

It seems as if the time had surely come when Berlin should avail itself of modern invention and adopt a proper fire alarm system.

At present, at every alarm the entire department turn out, at much trouble to the members and expense to the town, when perhaps the fire, if a small one, could easily have been handled by the one company nearest to it.

Of course a general call should be sounded if necessary, but a modern system such as is in use everywhere which would only call out the needed apparatus, would soon pay for itself in the amount saved from unnecessary turnouts.

Our ladder truck, at present manned by members of the other companies, should possess an organization of its own. With our town a mass of high tenement houses, and possessing the apparatus, we need, and ought to have a trained and skilled company of at least eight men whose services in case of a fire in any of our tenement houses would prove of the greatest value.

Respectfully submitted.

GEO. A. PORTER, Chief of Berlin Fire Dep't.

Sanitary.

Dr. A. Lavallee, order board of health,	\$2 00
Wm. DeWolf, horse ordered killed,	7 00
Dr. T. Hillier, inspecting horse,	2 00
W. DeWolf, killing horse,	7 25
W. A. Boothby, printing,	10 20
John Davis, order board of health,	1 00
John Collins, order board of health,	2 00
Chas. Lebreque, order board of health,	12 04
C. H. Bowker, M. D., vaccination,	176 05
A. Lavallee, M. D., vaccination,	82 80
J. J. Cobb, M. D., vaccination,	8 00
Fernald & McDonald, order board of health,	7 50
James Sheridan, order board of health,	2 25
Madigan & Warner, sewer Gorham road,	73 21
Chas. Lebreque, order board of health,	10 00
J. F. Bell, labor on sewer,	32 75
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., 350 feet sewer pipe,	37 80
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., freight on same,	2 52
J. A. Roy, order board of health,	15 00
P. St. Lawrence, hauling sewer pipe,	3 50
Felix Gilmette, laying sewer pipe Hillside avenue,	52 44
W. A. Boothby, printing,	5 00
C. Lebreque, hauling sewer pipe,	1 00
Rowell Bros., 1 bbl, cement,	1 65
C. H. Bowker, paid for analysis Ber-	

lin Aqueduct water,	\$3 00
Jos. Markee, order board of health,	2 00
Berlin Mills Co., 158 feet sewer pipe,	15 80
James Sheridan, order board of health,	1 00
Chas. Lebreque, hauling sewer pipe,	3 90
W. Martell, labor on sewers,	79 82
F. Gilmette, laying sewer on Church street,	41 37
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., 500 feet 6 inch sewer pipe,	60 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., 10 6 x 4 Y's,	4 20
Felix Gilmette, balance laying pipe Church and High streets,	4 25
Berlin Mills Co., sundries delivered W. Martell,	3 60
Rowell Bros., 1 bbl. cement,	1 65
C. H. Bowker, paid Jas. Trimmer,	2 50
J. F. Bell, labor on sewers,	11 90
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., 334 feet 18 inch pipe,	197 06
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., 4 18 inch 1-4 bends,	9 08
Chas. Lebreque, hauling pipe, etc.,	4 75
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., freight on sewer pipe,	34 77
R. Kilpatrick, order board of health,	19 50
F. Gilmette, laying sewer pipe Mechanic street,	119 04
Rowell Bros., 2 bbls. cement,	3 50
M. A. Dean, order board of health,	33 75
P. McHugh, disinfectants,	50
M. A. Dean, order board of health,	36 30
A. King, labor sewer Western avenue,	1 00

L. Roderick, labor sewer Berlin Mills,	24	30
M. A. Dean, order board of health,	7	50
Dr. J. D. Holt, vaccination,	20	80
F. L. Wilson, disinfectants delivered		
Dr. Bowker,	10	70
Berlin Mills Co., 24 feet sewer pipe,	2	288
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		\$1,322 38

To the Tax Payers of Berlin, N. H. :—

The exceptional freedom of the town from diseases, due to local causes of the last few years, has been fully equaled, if not surpassed in the year just completed.

The outbreaks of scarlet fever and diphtheria (both due to contagion from without the town) were, by strict quarantine and careful watching kept from spreading, and compared with adjoining towns we have been in this very successful, and there is now, I am pleased to report, no cases of a contagious kind within the town.

The sewers have been extended as far as the appropriation would allow, and in the places where, in the judgment of the Selectmen and myself, they were most needed.

The Berlin Acqueduct Co., the company supplying the largest amount of water to the town, have, during the year built a large and effective filter so that it places the water supply beyond question as to purity.

By the advice of the State Board of Health at the time of the outbreak of small pox in the lower part of the state, a systematic vaccination of all the school children was carried out. Some considerable expense was attached to this but it will not have to be repeated for sev-

eral years, and with our changing population it is a measure of protection which could not well be neglected.

Since early spring a continuous supervision of all the premises has been kept and notices served to keep them in a sanitary condition, which requests were quickly complied with in nearly all cases, only a few requiring the enforcement of law.

The rapid growth of the town and the crowding in tenements make it no small matter for one man to look after the sanitary condition of the whole town, but the endeavor has been to secure impartially the best interests of all.

I wish to thank the Selectmen for their kindly assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted.

C. H. BOWKER, Health Officer.

 Electric Lights.

Chamberlin & Rich, bal. 1894,	\$425 00
Less discount,	50 00
Berlin Electric Light Co., on ac-	
count,	150 00
Berlin Electric Light Co., on ac-	
count,	1,000 00
Order Chamberlin & Rich,	112 00
Order Chas. F. Dustin,	87 50
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	\$1,899 50

 Highways.

March 30, order to J. F. Bell,	\$100 00
April 20, order to J. F. Bell,	300 00
May 2, order to J. F. Bell,	600 00
June 3, order to J. F. Bell,	400 00
June 8, order to J. F. Bell,	300 00
July 2, order to J. F. Bell,	300 00
August 3, order to J. F. Bell,	200 00
September 30, order to J. F. Bell,	200 00
October 25, order to J. F. Bell,	300 00
November 7, order to J. F. Bell,	250 00
December 30, order to J. F. Bell,	200 00
January 14, order to J. F. Bell,	100 00
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	\$3,250 00

 Library.

Orders to Dr. H. W. Johnson,	\$300 00
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 J. F. Bell.

For macadamizing streets,	\$1,000 00
For Glen Pitch Hill,	300 00

For new streets,	\$ 900 00
	<u>\$2,200 00</u>

Miscellaneous.

W. A. Boothby, printing,	\$22 50
I. G. Marshall, assistance liquor prosecution,	3 00
Mrs. Brady, cleaning offices,	1 00
W. A. Boothby, 1287 reports,	250 00
F. L. Wilson, agent Wilson heirs, parcel of land taken for sidewalk as agreed in 1893,	118 00
H. E. Oleson, postage,	1 62
Burbank, Studd & Metze, voting booths,	3 03
A. B. Forbush, 2 days' use Opera house,	25 00
Berlin Mfg. Co., 3 boxes,	2 40
Burbank, Studd & Metze, labor voting booths,	1 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., paid for registering deeds,	1 30
W. A. Boothby, printing,	23 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., 500 feet fire hose,	300 00
C. N. Hodgdon, labor on highways 1894,	11 64
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., telegrams and postage,	14 23
W. A. Boothby printing,	16 00
O. W. Fernald, bounty on bear,	5 00
A. B. Forbush, mileage to Lancaster,	1 92

J. A. Letourneau, Treas., invoice record book,	\$15 00
Peter King, police service 1893,	17 00
Jos. Markee, killing dogs,	16 88
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., collector's book,	1 75
J. T. Chapman, Memorial day,	50 00
Jos. Markee, killing dogs,	12 00
S. T. Bickford, moving safe,	20 00
J. W. Greenlaw, labor on highway 1894,	3 00
F. M. Clement, land damage 1893,	250 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., postage, etc.,	13 38
H. F. Marston, meals for election officers,	5 75
Daley & Goss, services as auditors,	15 00
Daley & Goss, legal services,	56 00
Berlin National bank, rent to June 1, 1895,	53 33
Jos. Markee, killing dogs,	11 12
C. H. Bowker, M. D., medical services,	2 00
Jos. Markee, killing dogs,	19 38
Burbank, Studd & Metze, hooks and nails,	95
Jas. Perry, account levelling Post-Office square,	100 00
Berlin Aqueduct Co., labor on flush tank,	10 25
Stahl Bros., bunting,	3 50
Stahl Bros., bounty on bear,	5 00
Jas. Perry, account levelling Post-	

Office square,	\$ 150 00
Gordon & Balch, window shades,	12 25
Geo. E. Kent, balance due on Hose house No. 3,	189 00
Jos. Markee, killing dogs,	4 25
Jas. Perry, balance for levelling Post Office square,	67 89
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., expense,	4 61
W. A. Boothby, order books, etc.,	10 25
H. E. Oleson, expense, etc.,	4 95
A. B. Forbush, repair Church, Pros- pect and Hillside avenue,	134 50
Chas. Jolbert, building chimney in lockup,	4 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., telegrams, etc.,	18 22
Jos. Magee, repairing hook and lad- der truck,	15 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., expense and telegrams,	24 75
J. F. Bell, grading, Post Office square,	25 10
R. McGown, trucking,	3 35
E. M. Cross, repairing hose reel,	7 12
J. W. Green, outstanding order 1892,	28 50
Berlin Mfg. Co., cupboard for lockup,	8 25
F. N. Wheeler, insurance school house,	60 00
Gien Mfg. Co., land rent hose house No. 3,	90 00
Berlin Mfg. Co., water for sprinkler.	40 00
J. Markee, killing dogs,	4 75
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount,	39 89

Gilbert & Parent, hardware,	\$17 10
C. C. Gerrish & Co., furniture for police court,	4 75
Stahl Bros., stockings for fireman Bell fire,	2 05
A. B. Forbush, use of opera house,	3 75
Barney & Co., stationery,	3 00
C. Brooks, meals for fireman forest fires,	7 10
Frank Brown, assistance liquor prose- cution 1894,	5 44
John B. Noyes, land rent for lockup to April 1, 1895,	15 00
John B. Noyes, conveying prisoners to Lancaster,	31 20
John B. Noyes, notice to selectmen of Milan,	3 00
W. H. Furbish, sewer pipe 1894,	17 85
J. H. Wight, sundry bill,	33 10
A. Teare, care of hydrants December,	15 00
F. N. Wheeler, insurance on school houses,	114 50
H. F. Marston, meals for election officers,	4 50
A. P. Bergquist, supervisor 1895,	3 00
D. J. Daley, Treas., for shoe fac- tory,	15,000 00
E. C. Niles, legal services,	2 00
The Stearns & Doe Co., oil,	30
A. D. Teare, care of hydrants,	15 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., telegrams, etc.,	11 79

E. McC. Macy, locating sewer,	\$1 50
Berlin Mills Co., sundries,	6 88
Daley & Goss., legal services,	99 50
G. P. Bickford, insurance on school building,	60 00
Chamberlin & Rich, legal services, account of shoe factory,	116 60
F. M. Clement, rent of offices from June 1, 1895, to February 15, 1896,	88 57
Gilbert & Parent, 4 locks,	3 50
C. N. Hodgdon, rent of water tub,	2 50
C. N. Hodgdon, 2 cords wood,	8 00
W. A. Boothby, printing,	3 50
C. S. Clarke, stationery, etc.,	19 24
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	\$18,148 78

Official Services.

Edw. Lambert, ballot clerk,	\$ 6 00
Geo. Rich, auditor 1894,	13 50
A. P. Bergquist, supervisor,	16 00
L. H. Martin, labor town meeting,	6 00
P. E. Beaudoin, supervisor,	16 00
F. N. Wheeler, auditor,	12 75
E. C. Niles, board of education,	50 00
F. R. Oleson, ballot clerk,	6 00
C. L. Doe, tax collector 1895,	600 00
A. N. Gilbert, sewer commiss on,	30 00
J. W. Greenlaw, selectman,	325 00
I. G. Marshall, prosecuting agent,	50 00
W. A. Boothby, clerk at school meetings,	5 00

Mrs H. J. Brown, service on Board of Education,	\$50 00
John B. Noyes, ballot inspector,	6 00
F. D. Bartlett, services on Board of Education,	75 00
F. D. Bartlett, police justice to June 14th,	100 00
F. D. Bartlett, moderator 6 meetings,	25 00
Geo. W. Page, prosecuting agent,	194 24
E. C. Niles, town clerk,	150 00
H. E. Oleson, selectman,	550 00
A. B. Forbush, overseer of the poor,	275 00
J. A. Letourneau, treasurer,	150 00
Dr. C. H. Bowker, board of health,	200 00
Geo. F. Rich, police justice to Febru- ary 15,	203 00
J. F. Bell, account road commission- er,	250 00
A. N. Gilbert, selectman,	325 00

\$3,689 49

Bonds and Notes.

J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	\$ 5,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	30,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	30,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	4,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	10,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, sinking fund,	3,500 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	5,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	10,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., school house bond,	1,000 00

J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	\$30,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., note,	5,000 00
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	\$133,500 00

Interest on Notes and Bonds.

J. A. Letourneau, Treas. discount on note,	\$152 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount on note,	260 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount on note,	600 00
J. A. Letourneau, interest on bonds, 1893 issue,	1,575 00
J. A. Letourneau Treas., interest on loan,	35 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount,	87 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest,	14 83
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest,	133 33
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest,	67 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest,	42 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest,	12 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount,	112 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount,	150 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount,	200 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest on school house bond.	260 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest on note,	100 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount,	450 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest on bonds,	1,575 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest on note,	45 00

J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest on note,	\$40 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., interest on note,	307 50
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., discount on note,	60 00
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	\$6,280 66

County Tax.

J. A. Letourneau, Treas., account,	\$500 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., account,	1,000 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., account,	1,642 38
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	\$3,142 38

State Tax.

J. A. Letourneau, Treas.,	\$1,875 00
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Abatements.

J. B. Noyes, collector 1894.

A. Oliver, error,	\$ 2 30
A. C. Humphrey, error,	4 14
Mrs. Moore, error,	1 05
D. Belanger, error,	2 30
G. Gonya, error,	9 20
A. Derochy, error,	2 46
M. Flatley, error,	2 46
Albert Fortier, error,	2 46
Carl Hanson, error,	2 46
Theo Turgeon, error,	2 46
Harry Larson, error,	2 46
K. A. Oleson, error,	2 46
Francis Fortier, error,	2 46

Jos. Bergeron, error,	\$ 2 46
Mitchell Couture, error,	2 46
Geo. Fredette, error,	2 46
Jos. Demerse, error,	2 46
D. Lapoint, error,	2 46
Edw. King, error,	2 46
Thos. Siveno, error,	2 46
N. Lapoint, error,	2 46
Fred Couture, error,	2 46
M. Hearne, error,	2 46
Bapt. Demerse, error,	2 46
Aug. Gilbert, error,	2 46
Lazare Louze, error,	3 69
A. H. Gerrish, error,	7 38
Lester Rowell, error,	4 92
C. L. Doe, collector.	
L. Abrams, paid by license 1894,	19 68
Chas. Blanchard, over 70,	2 46
David Boulanger, error,	2 46
J. W. Balch, paid in Vermont,	2 46
Frank Bisson, minor,	2 46
Nat Capps, paid in Dummer,	2 46
Levi Crotto, paid in Milan,	2 46
Geo. Cote, pensioner,	2 46
W. O. Cook, error,	3 69
John Corrier, pauper,	2 46
Frank Donahue, pensioner,	2 46
Ole Dahlman, over 70,	2 46
Mads Danielson. over 70,	2 46
John B. Davis, paid in Milan,	2 46
Geo. Fillardean, minor,	2 46
J. J. Feeney, minor,	2 46

Peter Fenton, minor,	\$2 46
Edw. R. Fothergill, paid in Gorham,	2 46
Edw. Gilbert, minor,	2 46
W. M. Hoffses, paid in Portland,	2 46
James Healey, paid in Bridgeport,	2 46
Walter Hodgdon, error,	44 28
Claude Jordan, error,	2 46
Amedie Lebourneau, minor,	2 46
Philip McGuire, dead,	2 46
Exior Maurerie, error,	2 46
John McKelley, paid in Lancaster,	2 46
H. M. McKenzie, pensioner,	2 46
Henry Oleson 2nd, minor,	2 46
Everett Pratt, minor	2 46
Rufus Rix, minor,	2 46
Pat Reagan, left in April,	2 46
Clark Steady, paid in Island Pond,	2 46
Thos. Sheridan, minor,	2 46
Carl Stenberg, pauper,	2 46
G. Seraphine, Portland Hospital,	2 46
Fred Taundrea, minor,	2 46
Vallier Felix, minor,	2 46
S. E. Williams, paid in Milan,	2 46
Lesley & Rowell Bros., error on lots,	39 36
A. Dubriel, error,	2 46
E. S. Eggleston, error,	4 92
C. Brooks, J. Lemeaux building,	12 30
E. M. Johnson, error,	2 46

\$301 89

New Sidewalks.

Jas. Perry, 61 1-2 feet curbing,	\$49 20
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Madigan & Warner, 108 2-3 feet	
curbing,	\$ 65 20
Mead & Hopkinson, concreting,	207 85
Jas. Perry, curbing,	289 60
Jas. Perry, curbing and labor,	256 29
Mead & Hopkinson, concreting,	232 38
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	\$1,100 52

Fountain.

Berlin Aqueduct Co., laying pipe,	\$67 43
Berlin Mills Co., pipe,	10 65
Jas. Perry, foundation,	24 35
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., to pay for	
fountain,	250 00
J. A. Letourneau, Treas., to pay for	
bronze heads,	9 58
E. A. Burbank, pipe,	2 11
John Stewart, labor,	12 10
E. A. Burbank, pipe, etc.,	5 50
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	\$381 72

Reporting Births, Deaths and Marriages.

Dr. A. Cattelier, 19 births, 10 deaths,	\$7 25
B. Brunning, 8 marriages,	2 00
Dr. A. Cattelier, 28 births, 8 deaths,	9 00
Dr. A. Lavallee, 183 births, 34	
deaths,	54 25
Dr. C. H. Bowker, 7 births, 7 deaths,	3 50
Dr. J. J. Cobb, 28 births, 8 deaths,	9 00
Rev. E. D. Mackey, 14 marriages,	3 50
E. C. Niles, 280 births, 82 deaths, 57	
marriages,	63 10
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	\$151 60

Recapitulation.

County poor,	\$ 1,171. 48
Town poor,	531 25
Police department,	2,926 73
Liquor prosecution,	1,489 28
Fire department,	3,733 44
Sanitary,	1,322 38
Lighting streets,	1,899 50
Highway agent,	3,250 00
Public library,	300 00
J. F. Bell, for macadamizing,	1,000 00
J. F. Bell, for Glen Pitch hill,	300 00
J. F. Bell, for new streets,	900 00
Miscellaneous bills,	18,148 78
Official services,	3,689 49
Bonds and notes,	133,500 00
Interest on bonds and notes,	6,280 66
County tax,	3,142 38
State tax,	1,875 00
Abatements for 1895,	301 89
New sidewalks,	1,100 52
Water fountain,	381 72
Reporting births, deaths and marriages,	151 60
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We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen of the town of Berlin for the year ending February 15, 1896, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRED N. WHEELER, }
 DANIEL J. DALEY, } Auditors.

February 25, 1896.

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR'S REPORT.

Receipts

From March 1st, 1895, to February
15, 1896, from selectmen, by
orders on town treasurer,

\$5,495 52

Expenditures.

Thomas Lunney, 3 3-10 days,	\$4 20
Peter Larochele, 6 1-4 days,	8 65
J. B. Davis, breaking roads,	2 75
Derick Lapage, 21 3-4 days,	30 62
John Garneau, 17 1-2 days,	22 44
George Hartley, 22 days,	29 58
Napoleon Bargerou, 8 3-4 days,	10 94
Peter Nolet, 1 1-2 days,	2 25
Geo. H. Gosselin, 1 1-2 days,	2 25
Cleophas Morin, 12 1-2 days,	16 00
John Billadeau, 1-2 day,	75
Napoleon Deranan, 5 1-5 days,	6 87
Alfred Compagne, 1-2 day,	75
Lazare Bisson, 6 1-2 days,	8 13
C. Judd, 43 days,	60 50
Edward Rhiaume, 2 1 2 days,	3 13
Fred King, 4 1-2 days,	5 63
David Diome, 4 days,	6 00
John Couture, 3 1-4 days,	4 87
John Maker. stone mason, 3 1-2 days,	7 00
James Woods, stone mason, 5 days,	12 60
Alec Caro, 1 1-2 days,	1 87
Samuel Lapoint, 2 days,	2 50

T. J. Gorman, 7-20 day,	\$	53
S. T. Newton, double team, 12 1-2		
days,		43 75
Bridgett Gagna, account of Louis		
Gagna 49 1-4 days,		65 34
Albert Cote, double team, 15 1-2 days,		51 25
Frank Gosselin, 27 days,		37 25
Louis Rhiaume, 22 days,		30 10
Moses King, 4 days,		5 00
Rowell Cote, double team, 76 days,		118 10
Ramond Daigle, 2 1-2 days,		3 60
Frank Perry, 100 3-4 days,		147 79
Patrick Pendergrast, 7 days,		8 75
Lazare Ouilette, 26 3-4 days,		37 05
Alphonse Roderick, 2 days,		2 50
Henry Duhamel, 2 days,		2 50
Denis Vashow, 7-10 day,		1 05
Louis Savard, 5 1-2 days,		6 88
Geo. Marquis, 34 3-4 days,		45 98
Charles Lebrecque, trucking,		75
E. Serois, 21 1-4 days,		30 25
E. P. Belangis, 21 3-4 days,		27 79
Telesfore Belangis, 28 1-4 days,		40 90
Benj. Vein, 6 days,		9 00
Geo. Cuture, 1 1-2 days,		2 03
Joseph Ayotte, stone work, 13 1-2 days,		21 60
Samuel Decato, double team, 6 days,		21 00
Edward Martineau, 1 1-2 days,		2 03
Napoleon LeCourse, 1-2 day,		67
Fred Remo, 1-2 day,		67
Joseph Lebrecque, 19 1-2 days,		26 32
Victor Lecombe, 1-2 day,		67

Charles Morris, trucking,	\$ 75
Firmen Gosselin, 11 1-2 days,	19 75
Joseph Whalen, 4 days,	6 00
Joseph Fortier, double team, 12 days,	42 00
Fred Ayotte, 19 1-4 days,	25 99
John Murray, hauling logs,	1 00
Herman Nygad, 6 days,	9 00
Peter McLaughlin, 6 days,	8 10
Peter Fortier, 22 days,	30 80
Charles Lessard, 19 1-2 days,	27 30
Edgar Henniker, 3 days,	4 50
Joseph Dubey, 16 1-2 days,	23 10
E. Hamel, jr., 7 1-2 days,	11 25
Horace G. Nay, double team, 5 days,	17 50
Joseph Gagne, 12 1-2 days,	17 40
T. J. Pickford, assignee of Thos. Landry, 24 1-4 days,	33 94
Mrs. Hannah Fernald, man, team and gravel,	80 31
Adolph Vellier, 20 days,	28 00
Napoleon Larochelle, 78 1-4 days,	107 22
John Jolin, 2 days,	2 70
James Sheridan, single team and man 2 1-2 days,	5 62
Daniel Fox, 63 1-2 days,	89 12
Joseph E. King, 50 1 4 days,	73 62
Louis Landry, 5 days,	7 00
Louis Lapoint, 35 1-2 days,	52 86
Louis Lapoint, double team, 40 days,	140 00
John H. LeBreton, 17 1-2 days,	26 25
James Gagne, 1-2 day,	75
Andrew Paradis, 3 days,	4 20

Andrew Paradis, double team, 5 days,	\$ 17 50
Joseph Couture, assigned to Louis Belland, 6 days,	8 65
Joseph Couture, double team, assigned to Louis Belland, 18 1-4 days,	63 62
Narciss Morin, double team, 28 3-4 days,	100 62
Narciss Morin, engineer, 16 1-2 days,	33 00
William Landry, 9 days,	12 15
Napoleon Larochelle, jr., 24 1-2 days,	31 00
Louis Delisle, double team, 23 3-4 days,	83 12
Albert Crotteau, double team, 10 3-4 days,	37 62
Twitchell & Holt, double team, 15 days,	52 50
John Kingston, 32 1-4 days,	44 10
Alfred Bolduc, 22 3-4 days,	31 85
J. A. Perry, split stone,	45 00
Fred Lambert, 10 days,	13 50
A. J. Howard, 9 1-2 days,	14 25
Thomas Thompson, 14 3-4 days,	18 57
W. J. Stafford, double team, 7 1-2 days,	26 25
J. Bouford, 1-2 day,	63
Joseph Auyutte, jr., 15 1-4 days,	20 58
David Lessard, 3 1-2 days,	4 72
John Rogers, double team, 3 days,	10 50
Wilber Martell, 1 1-4 days,	1 87
Adolph Valyore, 2 3-4 days,	3 85
Edward Garneau, 1-2 day,	75

William Landry, 11 3-4 days,	\$15 18
Frank Armstrong, 6 days,	8 40
Samuel Decato, 4 1-2 days,	6 30
Joseph Morin, 1 day,	1 40
Paul Ouilette, 4 days,	5 60
Edward Mattson, 11 days,	16 00
Edward Fredson, 6 days,	8 40
John E. Johnson, 6 days,	8 40
Joshua Perry, 4 3-4 days,	6 65
McGivney Bros., double team, 2 1-2 days,	8 75
Gustave Anderson, building new street,	150 00
James Dunn, 1 day,	1 40
August Johansen, 1 day,	1 40
Frank E. Paine, double team, 8 3-4 days,	30 62
Edward Hamel and team, 3 days,	7 77
Fred Garneau, 3 3-4 days,	4 95
Peter Decouria, 1-2 day,	62
Frank Witham and team, 14 days,	39 25
Alfred Morrisette, 1-2 day,	70
John Gagne, 2 1-2 days,	3 75
Frank Bedard, 3 1-2 days,	4 90
Chas. H. Brinton, 3 days,	4 20
Charles Christman, 3 days,	4 20
Charles Gallant, 5 days,	7 00
Geo. P. Bellemare, 26 days,	36 40
Nelson Newton, 20 3-4 days,	25 93
Fred Dubey, 4 1-2 days,	6 30
Joseph Leroux, 17 3-4 days,	24 85
Frank Armstrong, 25 1-2 days,	35 70
Joseph Marquis, 2 1-2 days,	3 50

Budush Sherlitte, 2 days,	\$2 80
John Dubey, 6 1-4 days,	9 37
Joseph Neddeau, 1-2 day,	70
Thomas Landry, 2 days,	2 80
Felix Guilmette, 2 1-2 days,	5 00
C. W. Holt, 3 1-2 days,	7 00
Frank Dubey, 5 1-2 days,	8 25
Dennis Boisaneault, 1-4 day,	35
Peter Boisaneault, 10 days,	14 00
Frank Morin, 7 days,	10 50
Gustave A. Godin, 7 1-4 days,	10 15
Louis Garnit, 11 1-2 days,	17 25
Joseph Lemeux, 9 1-4 days,	12 95
John C. West, double team, 9 1-2 days,	33 25
Joseph Lavertue, double team, 9 1-2 days,	33 25
Bert Garneau, 7 1-2 days,	10 50
Delphis Newton, 9 3-4 days,	13 65
S. E. Paine, double team, in part, 14 1-2 days,	30 50
Fernald & McDonald, double team, 2 days,	7 00
Moses Revoie, 13 days,	18 20
James Flavin, 11 1-2 days,	16 10
J. B. Davis, Cates Hill, 1 day,	1 50
Augustas LeMeux, 5 days,	7 00
John Rogers, double team, 1 3-4 days,	6 12
Dracanthé Lang, by J. Howard Wight, 7 1-2 days,	10 50
William Demers, 1-2 day,	75
Joseph Lane, 1-2 day,	70

Joseph Treamer, 1 day,	\$ 1 50
Bartholemew Garneau, 3 1-2 days,	4 90
McGivney Bros., double team in part, 2 days,	5 00
Joseph Magee, new pole in rolls,	2 50
J. F. Bell, double teams, 355 1-2 days,	1,244 24
J. F. Bell, single teams, 64 1-4 days,	96 38
J. F. Bell, man and team, 7-20 day,	2 13
Palmer McDonald, repairing tools, etc.,	4 55
Rowell Bros., bbl. cement,	1 65
Pike, Perkins & Macy, surveying,	1 25
Gilbert & Parent, as per bills,	62 14
Berlin Mills Co., as per bills,	310 02
A. A. Fancy, as per bills,	56 40
Berlin Heights Addition, 917 loads gravel,	91 70
Catharine E. Green, 770 loads gravel,	38 50
J. A. Hodgdon, as per bill,	10 31
Claude D. Scribner,	4 00
S. T. Bickford,	6 00
Daniel Green Land Co., stone,	20 00
Berlin Land & Building Co., 275 loads gravel,	27 50
Benj. Lessard, as per bills,	9 93
John Moore, 6 loads gravel,	60
Grand Trunk Railway, freight plates,	3 41
Peter Gagnon, hauling wood and coal,	8 00
E. M. Cross, repairs to crusher,	24 75
S. C. Nightingale & Childs, plates for crusher,	31 00
Greenleaf Coffin, 35 loads gravel,	3 50

F. L. Wilson, 36 loads gravel,	\$ 3 60
C. Brooks, as per bill,	1 75
Flora A. Lord, 75 loads gravel,	7 50
W. L. McGivney, repairs crusher,	2 75
Alec King, 1-2 day,	75
J. A. Moran, 1 day,	1 40
Unknown, 1-2 day,	70
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	\$5,471 98

Recapitulation.

Total amount received,	\$5,495 52
Paid account highways,	\$2,868 08
Paid account Glen Hill,	302 63
Paid account new streets,	1,155 22
Paid account macadamizing,	1,146 05
Amount on hand,	23 54
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	\$5,495 52

J. FRED BELL, Road Agent.

We have examined the account of J. F. Bell as Road Commissioner for the town of Berlin, N. H., for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1896, and find he has received from said town the sum of Five Thousand Four Hundred and Ninety-Five Dollars and Fifty-Two cents. and that he has vouchers for disbursements aggregating the sum of Five Thousand, Four Hundred and Seventy Eight Dollars and Four cents, leaving in his hands an unexpended balance of Seventeen Dollars and Forty-Eight cents.

FRED N. WHEELER, }
DANIEL J. DALEY, } Auditors.

Berlin, N. H., February 28, 1896.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT.

Abstract of receipts and disbursements:

Receipts

Cash on hand February 15, 1895,	\$ 3,661 53
Total receipts during the year,	204,799 60
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	\$208,461 13

Disbursements.

Total disbursements during year,	\$206,282 84
Cash on hand February 15, 1896,	2,178 29
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	\$208,461 13

Debt.

Liabilities Feb. 15, 1895,	\$134,177 02
Assets Feb. 15, 1895,	30,410 25
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Balance against the town Feb. 15, 1895,	\$103,766 77
Liabilities Feb. 15, 1896,	\$165,254 57
Assets, Feb 15, 1896,	66,197 64
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Balance against the town Feb. 15, 1896,	\$99,066 93
Decrease of balance during the year,	\$4,699 84

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1895,	\$3,661 53
Taxes from Collectors:	
J. B. Gilbert, 1893,	118 00
J. B. Noyes, 1894,	6,631 66
C. L. Doe, 1895,	27,424 71
Railroad tax,	37 46
Savings bank tax,	505 42

Literary fund,	\$ 472 92
County, for support of paupers,	1 291 58
Dog licenses,	139 40
Bank interest,	28 94
Police court:	
Judge F. D. Bartlett,	1,615 95
Judge Geo. F. Rich,	1,981 30
Judge Irving Stearns,	398 60
Board of Education:	
Part of 1894 loan of \$3,200 repaid,	800 00
Interest on loan of 1894,	112 00
Interest on loan of 1895,	124 80
Miscellaneous:	
Abatement of interest on note June	
11, 1895,	4 38
W. O. Cook, 1893 taxes,	6 26
J. W. Green, 1893 taxes,	64 00
Interest on 1893 taxes,	9 46
B. F. Dean, bill of 1894,	10 00
W. A. Boothby, bill of 1894,	20 50
Interest on sinking fund,	343 71
Town of Gorham, for credit of Fire	
department,	60 50
A. H. Eastman, for credit of new	
sidewalks,	82 02
J. M. Lavin, for credit of new side-	
walks,	43 31
Licenses, peddlars, merry-go-round,	
circus, museum, billiards, etc.,	154 00
John D. Lary, appointed tax collector	
for 1892,	118 72

Town notes discounted,	\$162,000 00
	<u>\$208,461 13</u>

Disbursements.

Outstanding orders 1893,	\$ 250 00
Outstanding orders 1894,	2,968 45
School bond,	1,000 00
Sinking fund,	3,500 00
County tax,	3,142 38
State tax,	1,875 00
Berlin Shoe factory,	15,000 00
Board of Education, appropriation,	6,000 00
Board of Education, appropriation,	1,560 00
Board of Education, loan,	6,240 00
Board of Education, to pay part of 1894 loan,	800 00
Board of Education, from state,	1,015 80
Town notes,	129,000 00
Interest on notes and bonds,	6,291 54
Orders of 1895:	
Town officers,	3,669 99
Highways, macadamizing, new streets, sidewalks, etc.,	6,800 52
Fire department,	2,165 44
County paupers,	1,154 40
Town paupers,	534 55
Miscellaneous,	12,821 05
John D. Lary, appointed collector for 1892,	118 72
Berlin Electric Light Co., bill 1894,	375 00
Cash on hand,	2,178 29
	<u>\$208,461 13</u>

 Liabilities.

Geo. E. Buck note, 4 per cent,	\$1,000 00
Arvilla Hodgdon note, 4 1-4 per cent,	400 00
Edith Twitchell note, 4 1-2 per cent,	600 00
Town notes discounted, 4 1-2 to 6 per cent,	80,000 00
Town bonds, first issue,	12 000 00
Town bonds, issue December, 1893,	70,000 00
Due Berlin Electric Light Co.,	375 50
Interest on bonds and notes to February 15, 1896,	758 79
Outstanding orders 1894,	8 77
Outstanding orders 1895,	111 51
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	\$165,254 57

 Assets.

Cash in hands of treasurer February 15, 1896.	\$2,178 29
Due from J. B. Gilbert, collector 1893,	1,900 81
Due from J. B. Noyes, collector 1894,	2,200 00
Due from C. L. Doe, collector 1895,	19,350 13
Board of Education, balance due on 1894 loan,	2,400 00
Forest Fibre Co., mill A, tax 1893,	3,006 42
Forest Fibre Co., mill B, tax 1893,	742 87
F. Breton, tax 1893,	4 34
George Dion, tax 1893,	5 00
A. C. Gillis, tax 1893,	5 36
Interest on 1893 taxes,	815 54
Sinking fund,	10,500 00

Interest on sinking fund to January 1,	
1896,	\$175 00
Board of Education, due on 1895	
loan,	6,240 00
Berlin Shoe Factory deed,	15,000 00
Berlin Shoe Factory, interest,	307 50
Berlin Shoe Factory, miscellaneous	
account,	116 60
Blanchard & Twitchell Co.,	25 00
Grand Trunk Railway Co.,	108 00
Mrs. C. E. Green,	61 43
David Walsh,	15 00
Stearns & Doe Co.,	69 22
Due from County for pauper bills,	444 80
Discounts,	516 33
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	\$66,187 64

Recapitulation.

Total liabilities February 15, 1896,	165,254 57
Total assets February 15, 1896,	66,187 64
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Balance against the town,	99,066 93
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Net debts Feb. 15, 1895,	103,766 77
Net debts Feb. 15, 1896,	99,066 93
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Decrease for year ending Feb.	
15, 1896	4,699 84

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. LETOURNEAU, Treasurer.

We have examined the accounts of J. A. Letourneau

as treasurer of the town of Berlin for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1896, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRED N. WHEELER, }
DANIEL J. DALEY, } Auditors.

Berlin, N. H., February 29, 1896.

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Receipts.

Support of schools, books and supplies,	\$ 6,800 00
Finishing, heating and plumbing school houses,	2,000 00
New school house,	5,000 00
School fund,	1,015 80
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	\$14,815 80
Balance as reported from last year,	823 19
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	15,638 99

Disbursements.

For teachers, spring term, 1895 :

H. W. Whittemore principal,	\$306 00
Mary B. Eastman, assistant,	150 00
M. E. Mitchell, 1st Grammar,	151 00
E. T. Hinkley, 2nd Grammar,	135 00
Gertrude Muzzy, intermediate,	135 00
Jennie Rich, 1st Cole primary,	135 00
Stella Hanson, 2nd Cole primary,	105 00
Florence True, West side,	135 00
Marion Smith, Brown intermediate,	135 00
Lucilla Twitchell, Brown 1st primary,	136 00
Olga Nelson, Brown 2nd primary,	90 00
Walter I. Davis, Wheeler school,	127 50
Gussie Paine, Cates' Hill,	55 00
Clara Wardwell, assistance,	3 60

Dawn Fernald, assistance,	\$ 5 00
Mrs. J. D. Holt, music,	67 00
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	\$1,871 10

Fall term :

H. W. Whittemore, principal,	\$275 00
Mary B. Eastman, 1st assistant,	121 00
Clara Wardwell, 2nd assistant,	55 00
Jennie Wardwell, 1st grammar,	99 00
Jennie Rich, 2nd grammar,	90 00
Gertrude Muzzy, intermediate,	99 00
Carolyn Howard, Cole 1st primary,	93 50
Olga Nelson, Cole 2nd primary,	77 00
Florence True, West side primary,	99 00
E. W. Jennings, West side primary,	88 00
Marion Smith, Brown intermediate,	99 00
Lucilla Twitchell, Brown 1st primary,	99 00
Dawn Fernald, Brown 2nd primary,	66 00
Ellen Muzzy, Brown 3rd primary,	60 00
W. I. Davis, Wheeler school,	93 50
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	\$1,514 00

Winter term 1895-6 :

H. W. Whittemore, principal,	\$250 00
Mary B. Eastman, 1st assistant,	110 00
Clara Wardwell, 2nd assistant,	30 00
Hattie Johnson, 2nd assistant,	16 00
Jennie Wardwell, 1st grammar,	90 00
Jennie Rich, 2nd grammar,	99 00
Gertrude Muzzy, high school inter- mediate,	90 00
Carolyn Howard, Cole 1st primary,	85 00

Olga Nelson, Cole 2nd primary,	\$70 00
Florence True, West side, 1st school,	90 00
E. W. Jennings, West side, 2nd school,	80 00
Marion Smith, Brown intermediate,	90 00
Lucilla Twitchell, Brown 1st primary,	90 00
Dawn Fernald, Brown 2nd primary,	67 00
Ellen Muzzy, Brown 3rd primary,	60 00
W. I. Davis, Wheeler school,	85 00
Mrs. J. D. Holt, music,	120 00
Jennie Rich, due from fall term,	9 00
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	\$1,531 00

Conveying scholars :

W. H. Lovejoy,	<hr/> \$24 00
Total amount expended for teachers and conveying scholars,	<hr/> \$4,940 10

Books and Supplies,

E. E. Babb, as per bills,	\$469 74
Houghton & Mifflin, as per bills,	13 60
Ginn & Co., as per bills,	5 42
Leach, Sewell & Sanborn, as per bills,	8 75
J. L. Hammett, as per bills,	8 52
Holden Book Co., as per bills,	2 00
H. W. Whittemore, books, supplies, expense, etc.,	70 40
Gilbert & Parent, as per bills,	7 98
H. W. Whittemore, Yagg's chart,	40 00
C. S. Clarke, as per bill,	19 08

H. W. Whittemore, for E. E. Babb,	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., as per	
bills,	\$120 97
Berlin Mills Co., as per bill,	32 00
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	\$798 46

Labor and Janitors.

Isaac Auburn, janitor,	\$568 95
Thomas Neadeau, janitor,	31 00
A. T. Blake, janitor,	4 50
W. I. Davis, janitor,	19 00
Frank Witham, sanitary work,	14 00
J. N. Laroche, painting,	30 50
Rowell Bros., plasticoining,	68 25
Frank Witham, grading,	19 00
W. C. Perkins, connecting sewer and	
water,	53 84
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	\$809 04

Coal and Wood.

C. Brooks & Co., 97 42-100 tons of	
coal at \$5.90 per long ton,	\$574 81
Condon & Pingree, wood,	20 75
Frank Witham, wood,	8 50
O. Lambert, wood,	11 25
Twitchell & Holt, wood,	8 50
Berlin Mills Co., wood,	14 67
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	\$638 48

Miscellaneous Bills.

John Collin, 1 dozen fire extinguish-	
ers,	\$12 00

A. B. Forbush, Whitney Opera house,	\$ 7 00
W. A. Boothby, printing,	19 78
Mrs. H. J. Brown, cash paid for cleaning and repairing piano,	6 50
Clarence Boothby, graduation,	20 00
E. C. Niles, diplomas,	6 75
Fred Fuller, painting,	1 50
W. C. Perkins, water rent to January 1, 1896,	62 00
A. B. Forbush, clocks,	20 40
E. C. Niles, certificate,	1 50
C. C. Gerrish & Co., furniture,	54 02
Berlin Mills Co., as per bill,	191 74
A. I. Lawrence,	250 00
Berlin Mills Co., paints, oil, varnish, shellac, etc., as per bill,	52 16
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	\$705 35

New School House.

John Stewart, contractor,	\$1,059 25
Robert Snodgrass, contractor,	2,836 24
Berlin Mills Co., extra plumbing not included in Snodgrass contract,	49 64
A. H. Moulton, steam heating,	913 00
O. D. Case, slate, blackboards,	69 40
Chandler Chair and Desk Co., chairs and desks,	282 80
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	\$5,210 33

Furnishing and Heating West Side Building.

A. N. Gilbert, labor and material,	\$347 89
Berlin Mills Co., heating,	111 00

A. T. Causier, freight on seats and blackboard,	\$18 88	
Chandler Chair and Desk Co.,	150 12	
		<u>\$627 89</u>

Furnishing, Heating and Plumbing Brown Primary.		
Robert Snodgrass, labor and material,	\$115 50	
Berlin Mills Co., steam heating,	270 00	
Berlin Mills Co., plumbing,	190 65	
F. D. Bartlett, freight on seats and blackboard,	16 11	
Chandler Chair and Desk Co.,	153 84	
		<u>\$746 10</u>

Berlin Mills Co.		
Boiler for High school house, includ- ing freight and connecting,		\$500 00

Recapitulation.		
Receipts as reported,		\$15,638 99

Expenditures :

Teachers and conveying scholars,	\$4,940 10
Books and supplies,	798 46
Labor and janitors,	809 04
Coal and wood,	638 48
Miscellaneous,	705 35
New school house,	5,210 33
Furnishing and heating West side building,	627 89
Furnishing, plumbing and heating Brown primary,	746 10

High school boiler,	\$500 00
Error in order No. 204,	125 00
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	\$15,100 75
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	\$538 24
Due from Berlin Mills Co., by	
error in bill,	125 00
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Balance unexpended,	\$663 24

F. D. BARTLETT,	}	Board of Education.
MRS. H. J. BROWN,		

BOARD OF EDUCATION TREASURER'S REPORT.

Receipts.

Cash on hand February 15, 1895,	\$1,085 84
Wheeler district, school tuition,	16 50
For support of schools,	6,000 00
For construction of new schools and miscellaneous,	1,560 00
For construction of new schools and miscellaneous, loan from town,	6,240 00
Received from town treasurer, to pay part of 1894 loan,	800 00
Railroad tax,	37 46
Savings bank tax,	505 42
Literary fund,	472 92
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	\$16,718 14

Disbursements.

Paid town treasurer, part of 1894 loan,	\$800 00
Interest on 1894 loan,	112 00
Interest on 1895 loan,	124 80
Board of Education orders on treas- urer,	15,181 02
Cash on hand,	500 32
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	\$16,718 14

Available for 1896.

Cash on hand,	\$500 32
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Outstanding orders,	30 50	
Unexpended,		\$469 82
Respectfully submitted,		
J. A. LETOURNEAU, Treasurer.		

We have examined the accounts of J. A. Letourneau as treasurer of the Board of Education of Berlin, N. H., for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1896, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRED N. WHEELER, }
DANIEL J. DALEY, } Auditors.

March 5, 1896.

Berlin, N. H., February 29, 1896,

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the town of Berlin, N. H., hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, School District Treasurer, Overseer of the Poor, Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the Public Library and Police Court for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1896, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

A slight error exists between the Highway Commissioner's account and the auditor's figures. His account is referred to for particulars. The accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Police Court and Overseer of the Poor are especially worthy of complimentary mention.

FRED N. WHEELER, }
DANIEL J. DALEY, } Auditors.

March 5, 1896.

BERLIN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Established, March, 1893. First opened to the public, Nov. 22, 1893.
Open to the public Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 2 to 5
and 7 to 9, p. m.

Trustees.

H. W. Whitmore,	Term expires 1896
H. J. Brown,	“ “ 1897
H. W. Johnson, M. D.,	“ “ 1898

Hattie L. Johnson, Librarian, Appointed 1893

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Berlin:

GENTLEMEN—The Trustees of the Public Library beg leave to submit their third annual report of the condition of that institution for the year ending Feb. 1, 1896. For statistics concerning circulation, number of volumes, etc., we refer you to the report of the librarian, which is presented herewith. The financial status is as follows:

Receipts

Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1895,	\$37 60
Received from town treasurer,	300 00
Miss Johnson, fines,	37 60
Proceeds of May breakfast,	57 63
“ dramatic entertainment	16 00
Balance, receipts, lecture course, '95,	5 15
Sale of stove,	5 00
Total,	\$458 98

Disbursements.

F. M. Clement, rent of rooms Feb. 1-	
August 1,	\$ 25 00
F. M. Clement, rent of rooms Aug. 1-	
Dec. 1,	32 00
Hattie L. Johnson, librarian 8 mos..	34 00
Grace O'Donnell, "	8 00
Annie C. Hamlin, "	8 00
H. W. Johnson, expenses per bill,	12 00
DeWolfe, Fiske & Co., books,	80 40
E. A. Stevens books,	25 00
J. McDonough, books,	17 10
C. A. Nichols, books	30 00
A. P. Schmidt, books,	1 75
A. H. H. Warren, binding books as per	
bill.	63 53
Library Bureau, supplies,	22 73
F. N. Wheeler, insurance, (1000.00)	32 50
C. C. Gerrish & Co, lamps,	6 90
Gordon & Balch, sign,	4 25
" " labor and materials,	10 19
Joseph Clinch, janitor, lecture course,	4 40
Dodd, Mead & Co., "Bookman,"	1 50
Luther Bubier, labor on shelves,	13 75
James Maguire, " "	9 36
Burnham & Barney, printing,	8 00
John Bell, assistant,	2 00
M. F. Libby, wiring for electric lights,	5 62
	<u>\$ 457 97</u>
Balance on hand,	1 01
	<u>\$ 458 98</u>

Owing to the acquisition of nearly 1000 volumes from the circulating library at Berlin Mills, in August, there was pressing need of more room at once. The trustees secured the use of two larger rooms in the Clement block, at a rent of 8.00 per month, including heat, and in one of them placed five wooden stacks, leaving space for a sixth when needed. These stacks, together with the shelving previously used, have a capacity of about 3000 volumes. Additional shelves can be placed so as to make the capacity about 4000 volumes. Before our library attains that size, it is hoped that a town building will be erected, containing rooms especially designed for library use. One of these should easily have a capacity of 5000 volumes, with space for half as many more by crowding. The stacks should be of iron. Our library will probably increase by the average yearly addition of 250 volumes for the next five years. After that, it is thought the accessions will be larger. There should also be a commodious reading room and a smaller waiting room. We have no reading room at present, and our waiting room even now is filled to overflowing one or two evenings a week.

The addition of so many books at once, the labor required in cataloging them, and also of providing accommodations for them, made unforeseen inroads on the funds at our disposal. Our rent was doubled, insurance trebled, new and more expensive apparatus for handling the books was required, nearly a hundred needed to be rebound, and it soon became evident that the publication of a catalogue must be deferred till another year, unless much extra money was raised by personal effort. We considered these demands as the best evidence of

increasing usefulness of the institution, and although they taxed our resources sorely, they were none the less welcome. As there will be no such extra expense the coming year, it was thought best to allow some of it to be carried over to next year. Accordingly, the charges for cataloging, which required the daily labor of one person (part of the time two) for ten weeks, do not appear in this report. That expense will be \$40 00. The town is to be congratulated, however, on obtaining such an excellent collection of books as were given by the Circulating Library Association. With very few exceptions every book is a valuable addition—the fiction, of which, naturally, it mostly consists, is of the first class, while the historical works, also those on literature in general, and those dealing in natural science, are all standard, and accepted authority on the subject treated. The following figures may be of interest in connection with the gift.

Received from Circulating Library,	1,114 vols.
Duplicates presented to Enrol public library,	124
Duplicates presented to Randolph library,	68
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	192 “
Volumes retained at Berlin Library,	922 “
Volumes in Berlin Library at time of reception of books from circulating Library,	800 “

A classification of these books distributed them as follows :

Fiction,	551 vols.
History,	80 “

Travels,	50 vols.
Biography,	59 "
Social science,	21 "
Religion,	16 "
Natural science,	11 "
Philosophy,	7 "
Practical art,	4 "
Fine arts,	1 "
Language,	1 "
Books of reference,	27 "
Bound periodicals,	13 "
Miscellaneous, (poetry, drama, essays, etc.,)	81 "
	922 vols.

A number of these books were out of repair, and were rebound, at an expense of about 36 00. This might have been deterred till next year, but as it would thereby necessitate the withdrawal from circulation of the most popular books in the library, it was thought best to incur the expense this year, and give the public the immediate benefit.

Miss Johnson's failing health obliged her to withdraw from the library early in May, and she did not return until the first of February following. This happened at a most inopportune time, for obvious reasons, but we were very fortunate in the substitutes we obtained during her absence. Mr. J. W. Condon, of Bowdoin college, attended the library during the summer months, and to his pains-taking care, accuracy and judgment, is largely due the excellent and well-nigh flawless manner in which the books from Berlin Mills were arranged and cataloged. Miss Dawn Fernald, of Wellesly college

also did valuable work in this direction. Others, who kindly attended to the delivery during Miss Johnson's absence, were Mr. Harry D. Green, Miss Clara Wardwell, Mrs. Grace O'Donnell, Miss Annie C. Hamlin and Mr. Elmer J. Noyes. It is evidence of the careful manner in which they performed their duties, that only one book is missing from the shelves, and not accounted for. Considering the circumstances which have obtained this year,— removal, frequent changes of attendants, etc., we deem the loss of but one book somewhat remarkable.

It is with pleasure we call your attention to the increased average circulation, as shown in the report of the librarian. Also to inform you that it has been found necessary to open the institution Mondays as well as Wednesdays and Saturdays. Although, at this writing, the library has been open but two Mondays, there is already abundant evidence of the wisdom of such a move. We hope the time is not far distant when the town can afford to open the library daily, possibly Sundays, as such an institution should be accessible at all times. An assistant, who shall carry books between desk and stacks, will expedite delivery on busy days, besides saving the librarian many needless steps, and will soon become an actual necessity. A small boy could do this work well, and the expense would be probably about \$12 00 per year.

In order to bring the schools into closer connection with the library, and until Miss Johnson can put in practice some of her methods in this direction, a key to the rooms has been placed in each school building, where there are grades above the fifth, that any teacher may be able to consult the books at any time. Most of the teachers are

availing themselves of this privilege in a manner very gratifying to the trustees.

Several accidents to the oil lamps in use in the rooms, by one of which we narrowly escaped disaster, warned us to discontinue their use, and on the 20th of December last, we placed electric lights in the library. Besides eliminating an element of danger, this has lightened the work of the librarian, (no pun intended) and gives a better working light among the book-stacks, thereby accelerating delivery.

Great care is taken to prevent the dissemination of germs of contagious diseases by means of library books. During the recent epidemics of scarlet fever and diphtheria, books coming from infected families were in every case either thoroughly fumigated, or destroyed and replaced. In no case were books allowed to be taken by anyone dealing with infected persons.

In August, Rev. James Goodwin, a member of the board of trustees, removed from town. In accordance with legal requirements, the selectmen appointed Mr. H. W. Whittemore, Principal of the High school, to fill the resulting vacancy. We regretted the loss of Mr. Goodwin, as he was actively interested in all that pertained to the work of the library, and his judgment in the selection of books, especially of juvenile fiction, was always excellent, and approved by those severest of critics, the school boys.

It will be seen that the financial report gives no item of lumber or other materials used in fitting up the rooms now occupied. This is because Mr. F. M. Clement offered the necessary lumber to the library free of charge. He also maintains an even heat in the rooms

throughout the winter, and as it is necessary for the librarian to work on other days than opening days, this is a great convenience.

The trustees wish here to express their gratitude to those ladies who contributed in so many ways, to the success of the May breakfast last May, by which we netted a helpful sum, and to F. M. Clement, who at some inconvenience to himself, made ready for the occasion an unfinished store in his block.

Miss Johnson is an active member of the N. H. Library Association, and also of the Massachusetts Library Club, from the latter of which she receives monthly an approved list of fiction, of much assistance in selecting books for purchase.

We see no reason why our town should not take pride in its library and in the light of the foregoing facts give it generous support. We invite your thoughtful consideration of the report of our librarian, a lady who enters heart and soul, into a work for which she is peculiarly qualified, and who leaves no stone unturned that will be conducive to the best interest of the library and its patrons.

We recommend that the following sums be appropriated for the maintenance of our library for the coming year :

Rent of rooms,	\$100 00	
Salary of librarian,	100 00	
Books,	300 00	
Incidentals, catalogues, etc.,	100 00	
Total,		\$600 00

H. W. JOHNSON, M. D.,	}	Trustees.
H. J. BROWN,		
H. W. WHITTEMORE,		

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

To the Board of Trustees :

Gentlemen :—I have the honor to submit the third annual report of the library, for the year ending February 1, 1896.

Statistics.

Whole number of accessions, Feb. 15, 1895,	606
Volumes purchased,	150
Volumes donated by individuals,	100
Volumes donated by the Berlin Mills Library Association,	922
Total number added during the year,	1,172
Whole number of accessions, Feb. 1, 1896,	1,778
Number of days open to the public,	97
Number of volumes delivered for home use,	6,132
Largest number in one day, Jan. 4, 1896,	140
Smallest number in one day, Mar. 13, 1895,	21
Average number per day,	63
Cards issued during the year,	212
Cards previously issued,	307
Whole registration,	519
Cards returned (not in use),	44
Number of volumes rebound :	
Old books,	17
"New" books,	24
Magazines,	22
Old books, from Berlin Mills library,	89
Total,	152

Books have been donated as follows :

Theodore Green,	4
Mrs. C. E. Green,	1
U. S. Government,	13
State of New Hampshire,	33
Hattie L. Johnson,	1
Mrs. S. V. Pettingill,	1
Rev. James Goodwin,	6
High School Library,	2
W. H. Gerrish,	6
Magazine Club,	11
Dr. H. W. Johnson,	4
Choral and Orchestral Society,	1
Ansel Crowell,	1
Lafayette Chamberlin,	1
Mrs. X. F. Gagnon,	2
Dr. P. T. Pepin,	2
Dr. A. Lavallee,	1
A. B. Forbush,	2
M. Rosenbaum,	1
Dr. Geo. S. Pitcher,	1
Hortense Colby,	1
Mrs. H. J. Brown,	2
Charles S. Clarke,	2
John W. Condon,	1
W. A. Boothby,	1
Berlin Mills Library,	922
Total,	1,022

Owing to enforced absence from the library during most of the year just ended, my report must necessarily

consist of little more than a brief statement of the present condition of the institution as I find it on my recent return to my duties as librarian, and to suggestions for the furtherance of its usefulness in the community.

I am happy to inform you that several evils which have hitherto existed in connection with the library, are gradually disappearing from view. In regard to the co-operation of library and schools, there has been great advance made, but there is abundant room for further progress in this direction. Several of the teachers in grammar grades make much use of works on history and travel, and have evidently done much missionary work among their pupils to lead them to cultivate the "reading habit." Butterworth's "Zigzag Journeys" have become quite popular in no other way, I am convinced, as they are not yet published in a printed catalogue; hence no one has any convenient way of knowing that they are in the library. Other works of travel are circulating amongst the school children, whereas a year ago children never thought of reading anything other than Trowbridge, etc. I would suggest another way in which a great deal might be done—viz.: let the school board put a copy of Sargent's "Reading for the Young" into each school room in town, the librarian having previously gone through the book, and marked the library number opposite each book that can be found in our collection, repeating the process during vacations, thus keeping the books up to date. Thus each teacher would always have a complete catalogue of books to be found here in history, travel, science, or any subject desired, and the benefit accruing therefrom can hardly be estim-

ated. Miss Sanborn, of the Manchester library, informs me that this plan has been very successful there.

A comparison of figures shows that the total circulation this year is nearly double the year preceding. This too when there is no adequate catalogue printed. I would urge the advisability of issuing one immediately, as the only bulletin now available for public use consists solely of fiction; and patrons find it difficult to ascertain the resources of the library in other directions. The card catalogue exists, and is used to a gratifying extent, but the majority of our readers do not know what they want, and select books whose titles "sound interesting." Such persons want a list of titles from which they can choose; to them a card catalogue, be it ever so carefully made, is of little use. At the same time, the latter is indispensable, especially for students, who, I am glad to note, form an ever-increasing proportion of our readers.

Some very valuable reference books have been added the past year, particularly Larned's "History for Ready Reference," Wheeler's "Noted Names of Fiction," the "Brittanica," Brewer's "Reader's Handbook," and others. To do the most good, all books in this department should be shelved in the waiting room, where they can be consulted without resorting to cards and slips. I believe there would be little or no danger of loss on this account, and I would suggest that shelves be placed in the room mentioned, for the accommodation of these books and others that may be added. Boys frequently sit in the visiting room by the hour, reading such books as they find lying on the table, and good reference books should be within their reach.

I would especially call your attention to the small per-

centage of work in Natural Science now in the library, and to the disproportionately large percentage of works of fiction. To make this the more evident, I have a comparative table showing the percentages of prominent departments in a model library (that of the American Library Association, exhibited at Chicago in 1893, may be considered the standard) and in our Berlin Library.

	A. L. A. Library.	Berlin Library.
Fiction,	18 per cent.	53 per cent.
Natural Science,	7 " "	2 " "
History,	15 " "	7 " "
Travel,	8 " "	4 " "
General literature,	14 " "	3 " "
Biography,	14 " "	4 " "

Thus it will be seen that while our proportion of fiction is nearly three times too large, that of other departments is ridiculously small, particularly that of natural science. I would suggest that some of these departments receive more attention the coming year, especially as they are often drawn upon, and patrons as often disappointed.

The annual examination of books to ascertain the number missing or misplaced was done without interrupting the regular work of the library, agreeable to your suggestion. One volume is apparently lost. One other is missing, but cannot be accounted lost as yet.

The ratio of circulation to population has increased this past year to 1 per capita. The previous year it was 1-2 per capita. It is hoped that the ratio will soon reach the average of 2 per capita reported from most libraries.

About 28 books need rebinding at present, and are withdrawn from circulation till that is done. I have

thought best to state the number of books rebound in the statistics, as the growth in usefulness of a library is better estimated by the number of books worn out, than by the number added from year to year. It will be seen that some books were rebound which are styled "new." These are books in various stages of disintegration, presented to the library in that condition. By "old" books are meant books worn out wholly by circulation in this library. Respectfully submitted,

HATTIE L. JOHNSON, Librarian.

ERRATA.

On the 26th page in the Overseer of the Poor's report in the third line from the bottom of the page the second word in the line "dreaded," should have read decided.

On page 36, Auditors' report, dated February 15, 1895, should have read 1896.

PRINTER.

VITAL STATISTICS.

In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report." I hereby submit the following:—

EDWARD C. NILES, Town Clerk.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN BERLIN FOR 1895.

Date.	Name of Child.	Sex.	Living or Dead.	Child.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Residence.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
January 6	Wellington.	M	L	5	Achille Peltier.	Delina Roy	Berlin	Carpenter	Canada	Canada
6				6	Octave Leflamme	Hellen Kelley		Laborer	Norway	Norway
6				10	Julius Harkenson	Hannah Nelson		Clerk	Canada	Canada
8				10	Alfred Halle	Adele Gingras		Laborer	New Brunswick	
9				7	Louis Vermette	Delina Massiere		Druggist		
9				7	Sirefroid Rousseau	Celanire Lefebvre		Laborer		
9				1	Arthur W. Waters	Margaret D. Monahan				
10		F		8	Joseph Lambert	Eva Cote				
11		M		2	George Morin	Adelia Etorle				
15				1	Arthur Williams	Winnie Saunders		Machinist	Baltimore, Md.	New Brunswick
18			D	1	Edward Sullivan	Ernestine McCarthy		Laborer	Newmarket, N. H.	Canada
20				1	Paul Trivette	Lena Lehoix		Painter	Canada	
21		F	L	1	Jean B. Lepage	Emile Racour		Optician	New York	Argenta, Ill.
22		M		3	George L. Prescott	Ollie G. Stockhouse		Laborer	Canada	Canada
23				4	Ferdinand Turcotte	Laura Cote				
26		F		13	Chas Dumas	Lucie Pouliot				
27		M		1	James Lago	Emma Curling				
27		M		1	Joseph Delome	Marie Morelle				
27				2	Pierre Demers	Demerise Coutine				
31				11	George Lessard	Marguerite Ramsay		Cigar Maker		
								Laborer		

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January 31		M	L	3	John Kingston	Hannah Sheehy	Berlin	Laborer	Canada	Canada
February 3		F		1	John R. Cole	Florinda E. Swan		Millwright	Milan	Milan
3		M		3	Jules Roy	Rose Fontaine		Pulp maker	Canada	Canada
3		F	D	4	Pierre Barbin	Nancy Dupil		Laborer	Berlin	Berlin
5		M	L	4	Philip Coulombe	Mathilda Gagne			Canada	Canada
5		F		3	Waldo Babson	Ada E. Bates			Rockport, Mass.	Cambridge, Mass.
6		F		2	Thomas Sanschaguir	Virginia Lemeux		Druggist	Canada	Canada
6		M		8	Joseph Flibotte	Rosalie Goudette		Baker		
6		F		5	Albert Croteau	Amanda Tousainte		Laborer		
8		F		4	Joseph Gilbert	Olivene Gregoire				
10		F		5	Lor Holean	Vitaline Marcotte				
10		M		3	Johnnie Gagne	Clara Lemeux				
11		M		6	Joseph Gagne	Atta E. Nilson		Clerk	Berlin	Berlin
12		F		6	Ettienne Larochele	Amanda Lemeux		Laborer	Canada	Canada
17		F		9	Augustine N. Gilbert	Sarah M. Gilbride		Contractor		
17		M		2	Edward Cadouette	Philomene Cadouette		Laborer		
18		M		2	Adelard Duman	Marie Fortier				
19		M		1	Alex Roy	Rose Baillargeon		Section man	Berlin	Berlin
19		F		3	Thomas Walsh	Julia Lydon		Harness-maker	Ireland	New Brunswick
20		F		2	Joseph Coyle	Jennie Wallace		Farmer	Canada	Canada
20		M		4	Charles Lacousse	Ellen Furnier		Merchant	Berlin	Berlin
20		F		2	John B. Gilbert	Eugenie Dupil		Laborer	Canada	Canada
20		F		8	Octave Dufresne	Delina Beaurgard				
20		F		1	Edward Sherien	Delina Menard				
21		M		6	Philippe Beau-efn	Adella Beaudoin				
23		M		1	William Arsenault	Bibienne Arsenault		Merchant		
25		M		1	August Bouffard	Nildo Duval		Laborer		
27		F		—	Philip Murra	Shiva Campbell				
27		F		3	Esdras Mervier	Engene Dumais				
7	March	M		8	Wilfred Poirier	Julie Godien		Laborer		
8		M		4	Charles Robbert	Julie Collin				
8		F		7	Edouard Bernier	Emma Lenelin				
11		F		2	Emil Morin	Clivia Fournia				
12		F		1	Unknown	Delina Lehoussie				

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Date.	Name of Child.	Sex	Living or Dead	Child.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Residence.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
March	16	M	L	6	Narcisse Cavnette	Marie Dube	Berlin	Laborer	Canada	Canada
18	17	F		12	Arthur Beaudre	Delia Plamde				
18	18	M		10	Joseph Vaillancourt	Georgianna Belanger				
18	18	F		3	Lezare Croteau	Delina St.Croix				
19	19	M		1	Lewis A. Hutchinson	Clarinda Twitchell				
19	19	F		1	George Thurston	Mamie Davis				
21	21	M		3	Sam Mercier	Rosa Bellemare				
20	20	F		6	Pierre Leduc	Agnes Roy				
25	25	M		4	Napoleon Roy	Henrietta Fortier				
22	22	F		3	William Beach	Anne Gades				
25	25	M		6	Laurnt Giasson	Elmira N. Johnson				
25	25	F		4	Jas. Lessard	Olivene Roy				
25	25	F		3	Edmond Toussaint	Julie Guay				
26	26			4	Louis Houdor	Marie L. Dorais				
27	27	M		3	Anselme Leblanc	Sophie Fournier				
30	30			4	Fete Goulette	Elise Couture				
30	30	F		2	Baptiste Demers	Welvina Demers				
30	30			9	Louis Sirons	Virginia Parent				
10	10			2	Wm. McGivney	Lizzie Kelly				
April	1	M		8	F. X. Demers	Marie R. Demers			St. John, N. B. Canada	
3	3			3	Joseph Savard	Lavinia Anlin				
3	3			5	Charles Desrosier	Marie Caron				
3	3			3	Jas. B. Hughes	Annie Digby				
6	6	F		2	George Jolbert	Nora Kelly				
7	7			3	William J. Connors	Elizabeth Whalen				
8	8			2	Odele Gilbert	A. Zilda Cote				
9	9	M		3	Octave Gregoite	Celanire Bongle				
10	10			3	George Noel	Lizzie Lavigne				
10	10		D	1	Unknown	Octave Chateauf				
11	11	F	L	2	Phillip LePage	Mary Marguis			Canada	
13	13	M		1	Joseph A. Roy	Rosalie Fortier				
14	14			2	Wilfred Martel Jr.	Victoria Fontaine				
15	15			1	Pierre Ledrume	Marie Montmieux				
18	18	F		2	Ferdinand Bouchard	Sara Lambert				

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April	20			Joseph Cantin	Leda Caron	Berlin	Laborer	Canada	Canada
	20	M	L	Harry Hazzard	Annie Daley		Contractor	St. John, N. B.	St. John, N. B.
	23	F		Robert Snodgrass	Ina E. Chapman		Laborer	Bath, Me.	Bath, Me.
	24			Felix Cote	Demerse Nevon			Canada	Canada
	25	M	D	James Donaghan	Mary Duby			St. Sylvester, P. Q.	St. Sylvester, P. Q.
	27	F	L	Felix Perkins	Kate O'Grady			Windsor, P. Q.	Windsor, P. Q.
	28			Daniel Weare	Jennie Pickens		Pattern maker	Durham, P. Q.	Durham, P. Q.
	28			Cyrus L. Doe	Elmira M. Page		Merchant	Paris, Me.	Durham, P. Q.
	29			Willis Tucker	Flora E. Hodgdon		Lumberman	Bangor, Me.	Milan
	29	M		Alfred Magnuson	Anduria Hanson		Laborer	Norway, Europe	Norway, Europe
	29	F		Jean C. Brodeau	Marie Roy		Tailor	Canada	Canada
May	1			George Deschesne	Elsonore Delisle		Shoe maker		
	2			Fred Ladziere	Della Swanard		Laborer		
	5			Benjamin Orin	Artheneuse Groteau				
	5			Dosithe Vallerie	Regina Blair				
	8			Alex Demers	Marie Deslozer				
	8			Dennis Sandry	Bridget Mooney				
	9	M		Emile Beaudoin	Mary Martell				
	9			Frank McHale	Kate Dickson				
	9	F		George Whitham	Jennie Ross		Moulder	St. John, N. B.	St. John, N. B.
	10			Raymond Dagle	Luce Belanger		Laborer	England	England
	12	M		Joe Ramsey	Locadie Lessard			Fort Kent, Me.	Canada
	14			John B. Gameau	Augustina Laborseive			Canada	
	14	F		Joseph A. Turgeon	Julia Stern		Merchant	Germany, Europe	West Burke, Vt.
	14	M		John B. Garneau	Augustine Labourseive		Laborer	Canada	Canada
	14	M		Alfred Sylvester	Sophronie Dubois		Pulp maker		
	15	D		Pierre Bouchard	Emilie Gauthier		Laborer		
	15	M	L	Baptiste Marois	Euphemie Felteau				
	16			E. E. Pierce	Atha Cheney				
	21	F		Joseph Desrasbern	Marie Coutier		Laborer	Vermont	Vermont
	21			Alphonse Charet	Malvina Primeau			Canada	Canada
	23			John Suffiml	Ida Lewis			U. S.	U. S.
	28			Jason H. Woodward	Sarah V. Wyer		Clerk	England	Nahant, Mass.
	29			Engene Lefebvro	Emelie Couture		Laborer	Canada	Canada

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May	30			2	M. Christianson	Augusta Anderson	Berlin	—	Norway	Sweden
	31	F	L	3	John Lavoie	Amanda Gagnon		Laborer	Canada	Canada
June	30	M		4	Ferdinand Cadotte	Annie Baker		Carpenter	England	Nova Scotia
	1	F		2	Charles H. Brimecombe	Christine S. McLeod		Teamster	Canada	Canada
	2	M		2	Dominic Shenait	Lavina Sherien		Laborer		
	4	F		2	Alphonse Roy	Sara Vaillancourt		Laborer		
	4			3	Elzear Bouchard	Angelina Mercier				
	5			10	Andrew Perrain	Mary Stallow				
	7			1	Donald P. Campbell	Ada Davis		Paper maker	Italy	England
	8			2	John Gillison	Lizzie Upton		Laborer	P. E. Island	Canada
	8			1	George F. Lord	Bessie Prout		Clerk	Portland, Me.	Canada
	11	M	D	3	Patrick Powers	Maggie Aggleton		Laborer	Canada	Saco, Me.
July	9	F	L	5	Bruno Lebrun	Sara Carrier	St. Albans, Vt.	Butcher		Canada
	14			3	Stephen Lydon	Kate Connely		—		
	15	M		4	Napoleon Drapeau	Clara Bedard		Laborer		
	19			3	Alex Martel	Sara Charbonneau		Pulp maker		
	21	F		1	Evangeliste Laoresque	Angelina Goubil		Laborer		
	22	M		2	Napoleon Cantin	Wilhelmina Compagne				
	22			3	Napoleon Cantin	Wilhelmina Compagne				
	26	F		1	Napoleon Bedard	Marceline Beland				
	26			1	Bert R. Marshall	Eva McCynnon		Mill wright	Millburn, Vt.	Colebrook, N. H.
	26			1	Edwin Mooney	Cora B. Moor		Paper maker	Canada	Weirs, Vt.
	5			5	Pierre Gagnon	Lea Leduc	Ireland	Laborer		Canada
	5	M		6	Ferdinand Nadeau	Emma Larrochelle				
	5	F		8	Israel Labrie	Marie Laflamme		Carpenter		
	6			7	Fr. ncon Roy	Solome Gasselin		Laborer		
	5			7	Israel Labrie	Marie Laflamme				
	7	M	D	3	George Fredette	Josephine Devaux				
	8		L	2	Patrick Smith	Amanda Lemieux				
	11			6	James Lemieux	Mary Crotty		Liveryman		
	31	F	L	2	Edward McGivney	Marceline Hamel		Farmer		Maine
	31	M		2	Lazere Bison	Delina Plaisance		Laborer		Canada
	29	F		1	Alfred Picard	Vitaline Tandrea				
	14			2	Eusebe Fleury					

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July	15	M	L	3	Joseph Walsh	Adeline Sherien	Berlin	Laborer	Canada	Canada
	19	F		2	Clement Demers	N. thalie Demers				
	20	F		9	George Lemieux	Emma Lemieux				
	21	M		3	Ernest Dumais	Belzeme Roy		Chief of police		
	22	F		5	Joseph Lambert	Delienne Anlin		Laborer		
	23			7	Louis Leclair	Adele Pouliot		Sawyer		
	26			2	Thomas Houley	Maggie Feeney		Truckman		
	28	M		2	Charles Maurice	Amelia Robert		Laborer		
	14			2	Wm. G. Anthony	Clara E. Hartman			Watertown, N. Y.	Albany, N. H.
	1			3	Tuffie Cote	Lucene Gandrean			Canada	Canada
August	1			1	Charles Levesque	Antonia Dale	Norway, Europe Canada	R. R. conductor		
	3	F		3	John Grosel	Minnie Connors		Laborer		
	7	M		6	Marcel Poisson	Selta Moreau		Blacksmith		
	8	F		1	Hans Oleson	Emma Anderson		Laborer		
	9	M		3	Edward Lebonite	Lidia Outlet				
	11	F		2	Henry Parent	Elmira Lemenu				
	11	M		8	Joseph Couture	Olivene Biland		Carpenter		
	14	F		14	Joseph H. Devir	Azilda St. Ouge		Laborer		
	15	M		1	Baptiste Pontier	Josephine Tandreaun				
	17	F		1	Israel Desvacher	Mathilda Bedard				
Sept.	17	F		6	Archibald Murray	Mary E. Lidstone	P. E. Island Canada	Farmer		
	18	M		3	Pierre Morin	Dina Goulet		Laborer		
	19	F		1	James Gagne	Marie Roy				
	20	M		2	Richard Trauner	Maggie Armstrong		Section man		
	21	F		14	Oliver Lambert	Marie Baron		Merchant		
	22	M		5	Abraham Girard	Mathilda Sauvee		Laborer		
	23	M		1	Herman Halverson	Helen Lefane			Norway, Europe	Sweden, Europe
	24	F		1	Napoleon Laborseive	Angie Ferrare			Canada	Canada
	24			12	Thomas Sanfir	Philomina Outlet				
	27			1	Oliver Grenier	Georgiana Huard				
Sept.	30	M		5	George E. Oswell	Isabella Connors	Berlin Canada			New Brunswick
	3	F		10	James Bagley	Annie McArthur				Canada
	4	M		1	Leon Lehuart	Mary Beteck			Germany, Europe	Germany
	4	M		1	Joseph Boucher	Ananda Lambert			Canada	Canada
	5	F		6						

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Sept.										
5		M	L	2	Thomas Langlois	Marie Louise Allard	Berlin	Laborer	Canada	Canada
6		F		4	Baptiste Gagne	Lois Caron				Gorham, N. H.
7		M		5	Benjamin Dubruel	Lanie Coulombe				Canada
8		M		2	Benjamin Gagne	Aldeline Roberge				
9				1	Joseph Hardy	Marie Contin				
11	Marguerite	F		4	Napoleon Gosselin	Delia Pautet				
15				1	Archille Lessard	Marguerite Gilbert				
17				5	Edward McGarrigle	Eugenie Joliveau				
17				4	Peter Rouleau	Zelia Toussaint				
18				6	Philippe McCarthy	Emelle Roy				
20	Joseph	M		5	Frank Morin	Philomela Lary				
22				3	Jules Lalogue	Annie Gagne	Breshon, N. Y.	Painter	Canada	
24	Marie	F		2	Charles Bouchard	Clarine Gosselin				
25		M		8	William Landry	Elizabeth Fortier				
27		M		1	Desire Contin	Rosanna Beland				
31		F		8	Ovide Rouleau	Marie Cote				
1				2	Martin Johnson	Josephine Olsson				
2				1	Cyrille Lalere	Emma Gagnon				
6				1	James Gay	Susan Adams				
8		M		3	William Landry	Amanda Gagne				
9		F		8	Edward Wheeler	Lizzie J. McMann				
9		M		6	Louis Landry	Desire Couture				
10				3	Serence LeClair	Lorina Nadeau				
10				5	Louis Gregoire	Delphine Pelebat				
11				4	Dennis Mooney	Leda Harper				
12				8	Ameder Hamma me	Odile Carrier				
17		M		5	Adelard Bobencher	Victoria Puce				
13		F		6	Louis Gardier	Helene Robichand				
16				5	Patrick Hayes	Maggie Caulfield				
17		M		4	Chester Judd	Adele Lemieux				
17		F		3	Walter E. Churchill	Ida L. Blodgett				
21		M		5	Tom Lemieux	Mathilda McLean				
21		M		5	Arthur Gagne	Clara Rivard				
23		F		2	Adolph Remillard	Alphonse Gauthier				
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October	29			Napoleon Rouleau	Isabella Cameo	Berlin	Laborer	Canada	Canada
Nov.	1	F	L	Eleazer Rustie	Cedulle Sear				
	2	M		Lawrence Campbell	Isabel Smith		Paper maker	Canada	Berlin
	3			George J. Steady	Sadie F. Clarke		Carpenter	Canada	Canada
	4	F		Alexander Dutrieff	Alphonsine Solin		Laborer		P. E. Island
	4			Edward Renaud	Josephine Thibault			New Brunswick	Norway, Europe
	5	M		James Carriager	Martha Frontin.			Norway, Europe	Bowdoin, Me.
	5			R. Oleson	Maggie Gadge			Canada	Canada
	7			George E. Kent	Edith E. Clark		Machinist		
	9		S	Louis Belanger	Eugenie Pourier		Laborer		
	10		L	Honore Montmeny	Demerse Sylvain				
	10			Pete Larochelle	Anne Fortier				
	11	F		David Lessard	Lena Gregoire				
	11	M		Benjamin F. Deane	Elizabeth Blodgett		Fruit dealer		
	16	F		Edouard Gilmas	Marie Anne Barbin		Laborer		
	17			Alphonse Chabot	Suzanne Hamel				
	17			Charles Belanger	Celine Gregoire				
	19	M		John Corbett	Matilda E. Campbell				
	18	F		Henry L. Steinfeld	Lena Israelson		Lumberman	Fort Kent, Me.	Canada
	22	M		Joseph Napert	La Sherrien		Merchant	Canada	Canada
	22			Ensebe Fontaine	Delina Plaisance		Fireman	New Brunswick	New Brunswick
	24			Archille Pellitier	Delinia Roy		Barber	Germany, Europe	Germany
Pellatin	25	F		Charles Bontilier	Maud Graves		Carpenter	Canada	Canada
	26		S	Theodore Morin	Louise Tremblay		Laborer		
	28	M	L	Francois Marconf	Elinora Provencal		Millwright	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick
	28	F		George Morner	Paula Larochelle		Stone mason	Canada	Canada
	28	M		Donald Henry	Hadna Mason		Carpenter		
	30	F		Anie Blair	Artheuseuse Contin		Sawyer	P. E. Island	Berlin
	32			Joseph Blanchette	Georgianna Flanmond		Laborer	Canada	Canada
Dec.	3	M		Alex Bouchard	Claires ine Trimblay				
	6			Napoleon Villincourt	Philomina Shibaudeau		Teamster		
	9			Edward Garneau	Emma LePage		Laborer		
	9			Joseph de Robber	Marie Lavoie		Paper maker	Jefferson	Jefferson
	9			Alonzo Stone	Lura Berry				

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Dec.	10	F	L	John Laflamme	Unnie Pournier	Berlin	Laborer	Canada	Canada
	10	M		S. Londre Lotts	Fredlene Petit		Pulp maker		
	13	F		Napoleon Héroix	Alice Brower		Laborer	Milan	Colebrook, N. H.
	13	M		Wayne Blake	Alphonsine Michand		Hotel proprietor	Canada	Canada
	15			Telephore Gagnon	Marie Pournier		Clerk		
	17	F		Nazaire Latre	----- Larneon		Laborer		
	17			Joseph Chamberlin	Nellie Grindle		Business	Milan	Blue Hill, Me.
	20	M		George Nay	Kate Montraire		Laborer	Canada	Canada
	21			Baptiste Bernier	Emma Lamarre				
	21			Paul Thivierge	Lina Lehalix				
	22			Willard H. Furbish	Elizabeth Reed		Mill owner	Portland	Columbus, O.
	23			Adelard Contin	Annie Duchesneau		Laborer	Canada	Canada
	26	F		Daud Dion	Belzimeere Sammon				
	28			Wm. Aisenault	Billemic Aisenault				
	30	M		Arthur Chaudounst	Josephine Fleury				
	30	F		D. Theodore Letelvre	Annie Murphy				
	31			Arthur Saugue	Rose Roy				
July	26	Lillian A.		Lyman McGivney	Lena Frazier		Merchant	Fredericktown, N. B.	Washington, R. I.
Sept.	12	Leon C.		J. Fred Bell	M. Lanzier		Laborer	Gorham, N. H.	Berlin
Dec.	2			A. Fancy	Nellie Summers		Livery man	Nova Scotia	Frederickton
							Blacksmith		Bickford, Me.
									Amherst, Me.

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Jan.	4 Berlin	Alphonse Dagie Georgiana Goncas Charles F. Boutelier	Berlin	24 20 23	Laborer At home Laborer	Canada Nova Scotia N. B.	Baptiste Dagie Leon Goncas Thomas Boutelier	Belina Bereau Felicette Coderette Sophie Gulp	Fr. N. Couroyer Fr. N. B. Greenleigh Berlin
	16	Maud A. Graves Arthur Lafamme		21	Laborer	Canada	John Graves Peter Lafamme	Lizzie Kelly Leni Rouclir	Fr. N. Couroyer
	20	Mary J. Couture Alfred Martensen		17 17	Laborer Teamster	Europe	William Couture M. Martensen	Josephine Goodecan Gustava Nelson	Berlin
	21	Annie Oleson		17	At home	Europe	Annie Oleson		John B. Noyes, J. P. Berlin
	28	Joseph A. Larochelle Julia J. Moffett		24 25	Restaurant k'r At home	Canada Groveton	Peter Larochelle James Moffett	Philomaine Rodrick Abbe Devlin	Rev. C. Houle Berlin
	25	Herman Halverson Elin Andriett Lofgren		23 30	Laborer Housekeeper	Europe	John Halverson Niels John Lofgren	Sophia Alverson Johnanna M. Ters'on	Rev. S. M. Garmoe Berlin
Feb.	14	Napoleon Laboussiene		20	Laborer	Colebrook	Alex Laboussiene	Alise Ponetly	Rev. C. Houle Berlin
	19	Angie Fierrie Michael E. Golden		18 24	At home Pool R'keeper	Canada	Andrew Ferrie Thomas Golden	Mary Shallow Elizabeth Code	Berlin
	24	Mary Donnelly Rosanna Rai		21 25	Housekeeper Electrician		Christie Donnelly Alex Larrie	Mary Donahue Rose Russell	Berlin
	23	Lurie Rogers Matthew Griffin		20 21	In paper mill Blacksmith	Berlin Auburn	Toillie Rai William McKenny	Natali Nowell Almeda Brown	Rev. C. Houle Berlin
	26	Delia Robb George J. Steady		19 23	At home Housekeeper	Island Pond Maine	Harrison Rogers John Griffin	Welthy Viller Rosa Cane	Rev. B. Brunning Berlin
Mar.	4	Sadie F. Clark Antoine Corier		23 35	Paper maker Laborer	Canada Berlin	Henry Robb Jeremiah Steady Lewis N. Clark	Hannah Corevean Persis G. Green	Fr. E. D. Mackey Berlin
	30	Edwin Stanton Bean Lizzie Belle Field		35 22	Teacher Ticket agent	Maine Nashua	Joseph Blanchette Dudley B. Bean	Axilda Gilbert Vitaline Lafamme	Rev. C. Houle Berlin
April	17 Nashua	William Pivett Josephine J. Gosselin	Nashua	22 23	Laborer	N. B.	Elmer L. Field Antoine Pivett	Lydia A. Bean Edith L. Field	Rev. Francis A. Gray Berlin
	22 Berlin	John Lapointe Lottie Taylor	Berlin	27 28	Laborer Housekeeper	Canada Nova Scotia	Leon Joncourt John Lapointe Frank Taylor	Mathilde M. Pivett Felicette C. Joncourt Elen M. Lapointe Hannah Taylor	Fr. N. Couroyer Berlin

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22	Berlin	William John Kelly	Berlin	26	Foreman	N. B. Canada	Patrick Kelly	Margaret C. Kelly	Fr. E. D. Mackey
22	—	Sarah Jane Pickford	—	24	—	—	John Pickford	Margaret T. Pickford	—
22	—	Alexander Beaulieu	—	21	Carpenter	—	Joseph Beaulieu	Denise Michaud	Fr. N. Cournoyer
26	Vermont	Eva Laffamme	Vermont	17	At home	Berlin	Peter Laddame	Selma Ritchie	Berlin
—	—	James M. Davison	—	15	Machineist	N. S. —	Henry Davison	Louisa M. Knowles	Rev. J. B. Knowles
—	—	Minnie M. Knowles	Berlin	19	—	England (Canada)	J. B. Knowles	Eunelme Knowles	Victory
—	—	Joseph Blanchard	—	21	Laborer	—	Charles Blanchard	Zoe A. Blanchard	—
2	Berlin	Georgiana Flambert	—	18	Housework	Berlin	Jarrier Flambert	Marie D. Flambert	—
7	—	Edward E. Blodgett	—	24	Blacksmith	Maine	Daniel Blodgett	Maggie Blodgett	George F. Rich, J. P.
—	—	Joseph Wagner	—	21	Drysmaker	—	Frank L. Burrill	Lavinia F. Burrill	Berlin
13	—	John Albut	—	28	Pulp maker	Bavaria	George Wagner	Barbara S. Wagner	Fr. E. D. Mackey
—	—	Mary Werner	—	18	—	Austria	Adam Werner	Theresa O. Werner	Berlin
—	—	Mary Godbont	—	30	Section man	N. B. —	Xavier Albut	Nolice V. Albut	Fr. N. Cournoyer
—	—	Napoleon Couture	—	26	Housework	Canada	Peter Godbont	Veronique Godbont	Berlin
11	—	Regina Falarde	—	20	Laborer	—	Michael Couture	Marie A. Couture	—
—	—	Albert W. King	—	16	—	Berlin	Louis Falardeau	Marie T. Falardeau	—
—	—	Lillie Judd	—	21	Printer	Maine	Alec King	Ann Paradis King	George F. Rich
22	Berlin	F. X. Goulet	—	17	Housework	Canada	David Goulet	Mary Davidson Judd	Fr. N. Cournoyer
28	—	Mary L. Lambert	—	21	Laborer	Berlin	Edward Lambert	Philema Nadcan	Berlin
—	—	Thomas Daigle	—	20	Housekeeper	—	John Daigle	Arthur F. Daigle	Fr. N. Cournoyer
—	—	Madeline Lang	—	21	Laborer	Maine	Mitchel Lang	Margaret C. Lang	Berlin
2	—	Louis Cote	—	27	—	N. B. —	Joseph Cote	Selma Dupont Cote	Fr. N. Cournoyer
—	—	Caroline O. Rameau	—	33	Laborer	Canada	—	—	—
3	—	Joseph S. Gagne	—	31	—	—	Peter Gagne	Mary Boyce	Fr. N. Cournoyer
—	—	Rose Coryea	—	20	Mill hand	—	Bashide Conyca	Kate Gay	Fr. N. Cournoyer
24	—	Arthur Ouilette	—	23	Housekeeper	—	Joseph Ouilette	Seraphine Gagnon	Berlin
—	—	Louisa Vallier	—	23	Board sawyer	—	Telephore Valliere	Louisa Dupuis	Berlin
27	—	Robert T. Riva	—	20	Housekeeper	Vermont	Peter Riva	Susan Young	Rev. James Goodwin
—	—	Sarah M. Mosso	—	19	Plumber	Canada	Nelson Mosso	Sarah E. Wheeler	Berlin
7	—	Joseph Labresque	—	24	—	Berlin	Pierre Labresque	Flora L. Labresque	Rev. N. Cournoyer
—	—	Olida Coreau	—	22	Laborer	Canada	Joseph Coreau	Lacie N. Coreau	Berlin

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July 10	Berlin	Douglas London E. B. Butler	Berlin	30 41	Painter	Maine	William London Wesley Butler	Charlotte London	Rev. Frank C. Potter Berlin
July 10		W. J. Hedrich Myrtle Jackson		24 17	Cigar maker Housekeeper	Penn.	Henry Hedrich Truman Jackson	Marv Seltzer Corra Jaquith	F. N. Wheeler, J. P. Berlin
Aug. 1		Charles D. Titcomb Belle Guttman		28 22	Dentist	Maine	John F. Titcomb Julius Guttman	Abbie J. Titcomb Vina Guttman	Rev. James Goodwin Berlin
July 22		Roland G. Thurston Blanche E. McKenney		23 23	Laborer	Maine	Oliver Thurston Seth McKenney	Alzada M. Thurston Sarah G. McKenney	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
Aug. 2		N. Mathien Leda Borgeaux		25 22	Mill hand Dressmaker	Canada	Joseph Mathien A. H. Burgo	Marie Mosso Josephine Blair	Fr. N. Cournoyer
5		William Mitchell Blanche H. Gosselin		21 18	Engineer	N. B.	William Mitchell Roscoe Mason	Maggie S. Mitchell Abbie B. Mason	Rev. J. B. Carruthers Berlin
5		George H. Hannul Odelle Hannul		23 23	Mill hand Housekeeper	N. H.	Benjamin Gosselin Mercelle Hannul	Flavela Dumas Judith Bebeaux	Fr. N. Cournoyer Berlin
19		Malcolm G. Creighton Maggie J. Inman		29 22	Blacksmith	N. B.	David Creighton Daniel Inman	Catherine Gillis Bridgett Flynn	Rev. J. B. Carruthers Berlin
26		Edward Larochelle Helianne Bourque		26 25	Housekeeper Housework	P. E. I. Canada	Ephreme Larochelle Raphael Bourque	Caroline Larochelle Druge V. Bourque	Fr. N. Cournoyer Berlin
21		Paul Allard Elizabeth Dufo		24 18	Mason	Milan	Edward Allard Hiram Dufo	Marguerite L. Allard Adeline L. Dufo	Rev. C. Houle Berlin
26		Alwyn N. Cordwell Belle S. Lawrence		30 32	Mechanic	Maine	Thomas A. Lawrence Samuel Porter	Harriette Cordwell Sarah L. Lawrence	Rev. Frank C. Potter Berlin
27	Gorham	Elisha Porter Linnie R. Cole		44 24	Carpenter	Canada	Lorenzo Cole	Hannah C. Porter Jennie S. Cole	Rev. B. Brunning Berlin
28		Frank W. Farrington Lottie Estelle Hanson		23 21	Housework Teacher	Maine	John Farrington Thomas A. Hanson	Louisa M. Farrington Eliza J. N. Hanson	Rev. J. B. Carruthers Berlin
8		Claude W. Jordan Rose Moffett		25 22	Barber	Groveton	Austin A. Jordan William B. Moffett	Jeannette W. Jordan Maggie F. Moffett	Fr. E. D. Mackey Berlin
7		Charles Biledean Cezarie Lafrance		22 40	Barber	Berlin	F. Navier Biledean	Maria R. Biledean	Fr. N. Cournoyer Berlin
		Warren J. Hicks Eva Harrison/Lang		25 25	Housework Farmer	Canada Colebrook Bartlett	John Hicks Allen O. Harriman	Elizabeth K. Hicks Jane B. Harriman	E. C. Niles, J. P. Berlin

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Sept.	17 Berlin	Thomas H. Flatley	Berlin	24	Paper maker	Ohio	William Flatley	Margaret Corrigan	Fr. E. D. Mackey Berlin
	21	Kate A. Golden		26	Dressmaker	Canada	Thomas Golden	Margaret Fresucoda E. F. rezine	Joseph H. Bates, J. P. Berlin
	27	Arthur J. Roussir		31	Laborer	Norway	Pierre Roussir	Feiline Laprele	Rev. S. M. Garmoe Berlin
	24	Josephine Bupore		26	Housekeeper	Norway	John Bupore	Hannah L. Erikson	Fr. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	25	James Johnson		20	Laborer	Finland	Michael Erikson	Good Gosselin	Fr. E. D. Mackey Berlin
	—	Hannah Erikson		21	Housework	Canada	Peter W. Gunn	Elizabeth C. Wallace	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	James Gunn		19	Paper maker	N. B.	Frank Gosselin	Mathilde Larrabee	Fr. E. D. Mackey Berlin
	—	Alphonse Gosselin		25	Laborer	Canada	Dennis Sullivan	Dimitil D. Bedor	Fr. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Herbert W. Sullivan		24	Housekeeper		Gordon Wallace	Oviline Lavallee Roi	Rev. Frank C. Potter Berlin
	—	Annie B. Wallace		23	Laborer		Navia Larrabee	Mary S. Ferrari	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	William Larrabee		16	Housework		Augustin Bodor	Arvilla Hutchins	Fr. N. Cournoyer Berlin
Oct.	14 Berlin	Annie Bedor		18	Clerk	Maine	Joseph Roi	Josephine T. Leduc	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	30	Eli J. Roi		17	—	Canada	Andrew Frearri	Delina B. Lemieux	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Maggie L. Ferrare		26	Fair		Morrill Jewell	Delina B. Lemieux	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	27	Edwin L. Jewell		28	Housekeeper		Frank Twitchell	Delina B. Lemieux	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Adelard Leduc		25	Laborer		Pierre Leduc	Delina B. Lemieux	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	27	Marie Lemieux		24	—		Joseph Lemieux	Delina B. Lemieux	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Joseph Leduc		23	Laborer		Pierre Leduc	Delina B. Lemieux	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	5	Lea Lemieux		19	—		Joseph Lemieux	Delina B. Lemieux	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
Nov.	17	Albert L. Glidden		26	Iron moulder	Gorham	William Glidden	Delina B. Lemieux	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Suzie Armstrong		21	—	Canada	Francis Armstrong	Suzie Armstrong	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Wm. Groun		32	Laborer		Avie Groun	Masien Launcette	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	24	Philemen Compagnen		28	Housekeeper		Peter Compagnon	Mary —	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Malcom Robarge		22	Laborer		Magloire Robarge	Delina F. Robarge	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	2	Arzelie Fortier		24	Housekeeper		—	—	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Frank Landry		17	Section man		Joseph Landry	Marie B. Landry	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	26	Rosie Taschereau		27	—		Henri Taschereau	Marie Taschereau	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Joseph A. Chevalier		23	Com. traveler		Pierre P. Chevalier	Marie G. Bourda	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	26	Marie L. Houle		33	—		Louis G. Houle	Adèle B. D'Artigny	Rev. N. Cournoyer Berlin
	—	Thomas W. Maguire		22	Contractor		James Maguire	Ellen Magee	Rev. E. D. Mackey Berlin
	—	Mary E. Dooley		—	At home		Frank Dooley	Ellen Coyle	Rev. E. D. Mackey Berlin

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Dec. 25	Berlin	Frederick W. Wilnot	Berlin	23	Clerk	Penn.	E. F. Wilnot	Melitable Clemens	Rev. J. B. Carruthers
		Bernina C. Duke		20	At home	Maine	John D. Duke	— Mosher	Berlin
28	Gorham	Vynn D. Lowe	Randolph	26	Hotel keeper	Randolph	Cas E. Lowe, Sr.	Mahala Leighton	Rev. B. K. Russ
		Ethelwyn Farrar	Maine	20	At home	Maine	Rufus Farrar	Angela W. Whitman	Gorham
		Alfred E. Preo	Berlin	28	Pianer runner		Joseph Preo	Mary Dyer	
		May A. Gunn		23	Dressmaker	Isl nd Pond	Peter Gunn	Mary Crapo	
30	Berlin	John Clarence Bradbury	Bradbury	23	Merchant	Jefferson	Gilman C. Bradbury	Julia D. Renick	Rev. J. B. Carruthers
		Minnie E. Haley	Gorham	23	School teacher	Gorham	Thomas W. Haley	Sarah Emery	Berlin

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Jan.	4 Berlin	Joseph Pelatier		1 Berlin	M	Farmer	Archille Pelatier	Delina Roy	Canada	Ireland
	4	Charles Lagley	34 6	1 Berlin	M	---	James Lagley	Mary Ann Fox	Ireland	Ill.
	16	Florence May McMillen	1 8	1 Berlin	F	---	John McMillen	Bessie Dunham	N. Y.	Conway
	22		74 4	3 Conway	M	Housewife	George L. Prescott	Ellen J. Stackhouse	Ireland	Ireland
March	28	Mrs. M. McLaughlin	29 8	6 Berlin	F	---	Aaron Burbank	Susan Dolloff	Ireland	Vt.
	3	Mrs. Susan E. Davis	59	Canada	M	Laborer	Barnard Kildeman	Ann Maloney	Canada	Canada
	4	Napoleon Conlin					Napoleon Conlin	Wilemarna Sanefrag		
	16	Oliver Fichette					Oliver Fichette			
	16	Telesphore F. Lambert					F. Lambert	Julie Lenontagne		
	17	Joseph P. Caourette	30 3	1 Berlin	F	---	Narcisse Caourette	Marie Duile	Maine	Maine
	17	Penelope Thwing Wright	31	17 Maine	M	---	John B. Thomas	Emily A. Lilly	N. B.	N. B.
	29	Mrs. Eliza Jarnard	65	N. B.	M	---	Elide Lavoie		Vt.	Vt.
	29	Hart V. Mason	29 1	29 Milan	M	Millwright	Lorenzo Mason	Mary Connor	Maine	Milan
April	31	Mrs. Florida E. Cole	22 3	4 Berlin	F	Housekeeper	Freeland Swan	Mehitable Abbott	Canada	Canada
	13	Ray Stuart Scummon	20 7	8 Canada	M	---	James Scummon	Aggie Carmichael	Canada	Canada
	13	Joseph S. Rousseau	5 4	6 Berlin	F	Laborer	Singetroid Rousseau	Celma Lefebvre	Canada	Canada
	18	Albina Morin	19 5	16 Berlin	F	---	August Morin	Flora E. Long	Jefferson	Maine
	20	Clifford Kines	22 8	24 Canada	M	---	James Kines	Edith Peltier	Canada	Canada
	21	Arthur Morin	19 5	16 Berlin	M	---	H. Morin		Canada	Canada
	21	Joseph Bouchard	22 8	24 Berlin	M	---	Honore Bouchard	Arzelie Bouchard	Norway	Norway
May	2	Mrs. Mary Larochelle	22 8	24 Berlin	F	Music teacher	Napoleon Arneson	Hansina M. Harrison	Canada	Canada
	6	Therese Arneson	22 8	24 Berlin	F	---	Phedore Arneson	Adele B. Kartegny	Canada	Canada
	10	Maria Rose Houle	82 1	1 Berlin	M	---	Louis de G. Houle	Marie Duly	Norway	Norway
	13	Maria Angelin Dumois	20 7	8 Berlin	M	---	A. Denois		Sweden	Sweden
	13	Mrs. Kane Nelson	20 7	8 Berlin	M	---	Otto Halverson	Eva J. Andersen	Canada	Canada
	15	Evangelia A. Halvorsen	20 7	8 Berlin	M	---	Halvin Guderson	Johanna Nelson	Canada	Canada
	21	Anne S. Halvorsen	44 1	5 Berlin	F	---	Honore Vein	Mary Larochelle	Canada	Canada
	30	Henri Vein	1 5	5 Berlin	M	---	Carl Dickerson	Anne Kelbrock	Mass	Canada
June	3	Sarah V. Woodward	1 5	5 Berlin	F	---	Hilaire Moorin	Diana Lecasse	Canada	Canada
	10	Ernest C. Dickerson	3 13	13 Berlin	M	---	Unknown	Delina Lehouise	Canada	Canada
	27	Joseph Albert Morin	57 2	19 Berlin	M	---	Israel Labrie	Mary Leflamme	Canada	Canada
July	27	Josephine Lehouise	3 13	13 Berlin	F	---				
	3	Betsy A. B. Wheeler	57 2	19 Berlin	F	---				
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July	8 Berlin	Laura Gilbert	41	Berlin	S	Housekeeper	Joseph Gilbert	Olivene Gregoire	Canada	Canada
15	16	Marie Couture	63	Canada	M	---	Samuel Couture	Genevieve Contin	Canada	Canada
16	16	Rose Couture	1	Canada	S	---	Patrick Audley	Mary Maguire	Ireland	Maine
18	20	Gatherine E. Audley	8	Gorham	M	---	Thomas A. Lawrence	Sarah A. Larches	Maine	Maine
20	21	T. A. Lawrence	3	Maine	F	---	Louis Sivois	Virginia Parent	Canada	Canada
21	21	Leda Sivois	3	Berlin	F	---	Felix Cote	---	---	---
24	24	Marie Cote	4	Berlin	M	---	George Brown	Anne Brown	Ireland	N. S.
27	27	Edith Brown	7	Berlin	F	---	Edward Martineau	Francine Myrote	Canada	Canada
27	27	Arthur J. Martineau	5	Berlin	M	---	Joseph Martineau	Vitaline Biggie	Canada	Canada
28	28	Adelina Reuleau	2	Berlin	F	---	John Charlton	Francis Biggie	England	England
28	30	Isaac B. Charlton	4	Berlin	M	---	Eusebe Fleury	Vitaline Tandreau	R. I.	Canada
30	30	Willis Vaillancourt	7	Berlin	M	---	Joseph Vaillancourt	Georgianna Belanger	Canada	Canada
31	31	Leo Henry Gillis	7	Berlin	M	---	Gillis	Mary Sheri lan	P. E. I.	Whitfield
Aug.	2	Emma Rosse	5	Maine	F	---	Joseph Rosse	Alice Charest	Maine	Maine
5	5	Joseph W. Walsh	21	Berlin	M	---	Joseph Walsh	Adeline Therier	Canada	Canada
6	6	Eva Marshall	1	Berlin	F	---	Bert Marshall	Eva McKenzie	Colebrook	Colebrook
8	8	Lavina T. Snodgrass	3	Berlin	M	---	Robert Snodgrass	Anna Chapman	N. B.	Maine
9	9	Amie Valliere	8	Berlin	M	---	Victor Valliere	Oleta Toussaint	Canada	Canada
9	9	Eugenie Thénier	5	Berlin	F	---	Edward Thénier	Delina Vosnard	Canada	Canada
14	14	Nazaire Lameau	45	Canada	M	Laborer	Laurin Lameau	Calixti Methat	Vt.	Vt.
16	16	Gladys E. Morey	1	Berlin	F	Housekeeper	Edward G. Morey	Cora Moore	---	---
22	Success	Mrs. Hickey	74	Berlin	W	---	---	---	---	---
22	22	Mrs. J. Lambert	1	Berlin	S	Housewife	Oliver Lambert	Marie Baron	Stratford	Canada
25	25	Mrs. Mary Dunn	43	N. H.	M	---	James Wheeler	Unis Blodgett	P. E. I.	Straford
27	27	Alice I. Campbell	2	Berlin	S	---	Donald P. Campbell	Ada C. Davis	Canada	England
27	27	Marie Grenier	3	Berlin	M	---	Oliver Grenier	Georgianna Laird	Canada	Canada
31	31	Demorse Dagle	32	Berlin	M	---	Raymond Dagle	Luce Belanger	Maine	Maine
Sept.	2	Napoleon J. Gagno	7	Laconia	M	Laborer	Exilia Gagne	---	---	---
5	5	Joseph Mathews	26	Mass.	M	---	---	---	---	---
5	5	Emma Roy	3	Mass.	F	---	---	---	---	---
8	8	James Bagley	78	Ireland	M	---	Jules Roy	Rose M. Fontain	Ireland	Ireland
11	11	Marguerite Lessard	1	Berlin	F	---	Michael Bagley	Elizabeth Leonard	Canada	Canada
15	15	William McCarty	4	Berlin	M	---	Archille Lessard	Marguerite Gilbert	Berlin	Berlin
23	23	---	---	---	---	---	George McCarty	Ephelia Laros	---	---

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Sept. 27	Berlin	Louisa Cote	1 14	Berlin	F		Tuffie Cote	Laura Roudreau	Canada	Canada
Oct. 7		Algot Magnasen	5		M		Alfred Magnasen	Andrena Hansen	Sweden	Norway
18		Harriet Eggleston	80 11		F		Nash Adams			
25		Harry B. Libby	6 6 5		F		Daniel B. Libby	Addie Bunfin	Maine	
Nov. 2		Donat Lemere	2 8 26		M		Pierre Lemere	Marie Arnold	Canada	
6		Honor Blair	4				Felix Blair	Mary Roszeau		
9		Octave Beaular	16		F		Arthur Beaular	Delia Pionche		
13		Larkin Pettingill	73 1		M	Farmer	Phillip Pettingill	Sally Atwood	N. H.	
29		Victoria Lafamme	11 2		F		John Lafamme	Mary Leclair	Canada	Canada
15			8		F		Wayne Burke	Alice Brower	Milan	N. H.
21		Joseph N. Shiverge	2		M		John Shiverge	Lena Lehoux	Canada	Canada
23		Leslie M. Farrington	1				John Q. Farrington	Lillie Bean	Berlin	Berlin
24		Albert McCarthy	4				— McCarthy		Canada	Canada
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